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THE FIRE TOO HOT

BRITISH ABANDON KOPJE AT MOLEN'S DRIFT.

RETIRED ACROSS THE TUGELA

NEWS COMES FROM THE BOER HEAD LAAGER.

METHUEN IS GIVEN A CHECK

LONDON AWAITS NEWS WITH MUCH ANXIETY.

Boer Head Laager, Ladysmith, Thursday, Feb. 8.—The British who were in possession of the kopje at Molen's drift abandoned it after a bombardment by Boer cannon this morning and retired across the Tugela river to their former position A desultory cannonade is proceeding at the Tugela this morning, but otherwise everything is quiet.

WAR OFFICE DUMBFOUNDED.

London, Feb. 9.—6:40 p. m.—Up to the present time the war office has evidently heard nothing of General Buller's retreat as described in the dispatch from the Boer head laager Ladysmith, February 8. When shown the Boer dispatch the officials appeared utterly dumbfounded. Apparently they had not the least suspicion of the possibility of such an outcome of the operations.

COL. PLUMER REPULSED.

Pretoria, Monday, Feb. 5.—Colonel Plumer's force February 2 attacked the Boer position near Ramonsta, and after heavy fighting, including an endeavor to take the place by storm, the British were repulsed. Their loss is unknown. No Boers were injured.

METHUEN DRIVEN BACK.

Koodesburg Drift, Feb. 8.—The Boers yesterday made a determined attempt to drive the British from a hill commanding the drift.

Mounting two seven-pounders at the northern extremity, they shelled the position intermittently the whole day. The Seaforth Highlanders gained a position on the rocky summit and kept up a sustained rifle fire, but suffered somewhat from the Boer shelling. A battery was sent and succeeded in silencing the Boer fire.

Meanwhile two companies of the Argyle Highlanders, advancing along the plain in a westerly direction, found the Boers intrenched at a small drift. A sharp engagement followed, lasting the whole day.

In order to completely surround the Boers General Babington was dispatched from the Modder river with a large force of cavalry and two batteries of horse artillery, but failed to reach here, although he started early enough in the day to enable him to get here early this afternoon.

This morning General Methuen ordered that the combined force should retire upon the Modder river, which movement is now proceeding.

The British losses in the fighting on Wednesday were fifty men killed or wounded.

ARMED TRAIN SUFFERS.

Head Laager, Ladysmith, Feb. 7.—An armored train yesterday made a sortie from Chievelley towards Colenso and landed 2,000 British troops on the right of the Boer position. The Boers immediately crossed the river and made attack with rifles and artillery, forcing the withdrawal of both the train and the troops to Chievelley.

The fighting on the Upper Tugela river lasted until 8:30 yesterday (Tuesday) evening. Particulars are lacking.

Firing at both Colenso and along the Upper Tugela has been proceeding since 5 o'clock this morning.

STILL WAITING FOR NEWS.

London, Feb. 9.—2:35 p m.—There is still no news of General Buller's doings today or yesterday. A despatch dated Frere Camp, Thursday, February 8, but probably written with the advanced lines Wednesday, February 7, and sent to Frere by runner, says:

"The forces of the enemy are on both our flanks and continue to render our position extremely difficult to maintain."

Beyond the fact that General Buller devoted Wednesday to bringing more artillery and troops across the Tugela, nothing is known of his movements, but that he badly needed reinforcements is evident from the foregoing from Frere. It is still more patent that it is possible for him to advance until the artillery has been enabled to take up forward positions for the purpose of subduing the Boer guns on both flanks. Upon the length of time occupied in this operation depends of duration of General Buller's maintenance of the defensive. It is reasonable to suppose that the guns and reinforcements were in position yesterday and that another attempt to advance is now progressing or, at, least, that the bombardment preliminary to the actual movements of troops is in progress.

In the meanwhile news is awaited with great eagerness not unmixed with anxiety, almost all the critics now point out that the mere pushing through to Ladysmith without securing a decisive victory on the way there would only add danger to what is already a critical situation.

Another Frere Camp despatch says a Boer prisoner asserts that the burghers expected General Buller to cross at Skiot's Drift and that thousands of Boers were being posted at Dornkloof to oppose such a passage while on a captured hill there were only a few hundred Johannesburghers.

This tends to increase the anxiety of those who believe that General Buller has scarcely begun the serious part of his advance, though encouragement is gleaned from the news that the heavy naval guns, after repeated attempts, during which the mules rolled down the hill, have succeeded in reaching the summit of Swartz kop, where they are doing excellent practice.

Gen. Hector MacDonald's retirement from Koodosberg has created disappointment. But the operation was apparently only intended as a sortie, and its success or failure could scarcely have resulted in any material effect on the campaign.

To the daily rumor of the relief of Ladysmith was added last evening the report that Lord Rothschild had positive information to that effect, and that he had communicated it to various members of the house of lords during yesterday's session. Lord Rothschild today said he had no news of the nature mentioned and that he did not go to the house of lords yesterday. A rumor that Ladysmith had been relieved is again current today, but the war office authorities say they have no confirmation of the report.

Military attaches will leave tomorrow. Their destination is not given, but presumably they will join Lord Roberts, whose whereabouts have not yet been made public. It was said today that one of the first steps to increase the home army will be the raising of thirty-seven new horse and field batteries, with barracks on Salisbury plain, and the addition of third battalions to numerous regiments which at present are without them.

BIG COLONIZATION SCHEME

MORMONS TO SETTLE IN BIG HORN BASIN.

Utah Adherents of the Church Have Secured 200,000 Acres in State of Wyoming.

Cheyenne, Wyo., Feb. 9.—Arrangements for one of the biggest colonization schemes ever engineered in the west have been completed here where a portion of the Big Horn basin in northern Wyoming will be settled by Mormons. For several years a majority of the Mormons in Utah have felt that they could not stand the persecutions of the Gentiles and with the idea of getting away and into a new country where they might build their homes anew, arrangements were made with the Wyoming authorities for the selection of 200,000 acres of land in the Big Horn basin under the Carey act. A committee of prominent Mormons is now selecting this land along the Stinking Water river.

The Erie canal and irrigation system will be utilized and several new canals and reservoirs constructed. Hundreds of Mormon families are now disposing of their property in Utah, packing up their personal belongings and during the early spring they will start for the Big Horn basin. The Mormon leaders say there will be upward of 30,000 people immigrate to the colony during the present year.

Mrs. Harry G. Bradley, of 53 East Main street, was surprised last evening by a party of about fifteen persons and all were cousins of the hostess. An enjoyable evening was spent.

LAWTON AT REST.

SOLDIER HERO BURIED IN ARLINGTON.

THE FUNERAL IMPRESSIVE

EVERY HONOR PAID TO THE DEAD CHIEFTAIN.

SERVICES IN THE CHURCH

ELOQUENT TRIBUTE PAID BY REV. DR. STRIKER.

Washington, Feb. 9.—Major Henry W. Lawton was buried today in the National cemetery at Arlington. The services at the grave were preceded by those at the Church of the Covenant, in this city, where President H. M. Striker, of Hamilton college, New York, delivered a funeral oration that has seldom been equaled in beauty of expression, nor could it have been in more perfect accord with the spirit of the solemn occasion that called it forth. Never in the history of the capital has there been a more representative gathering of the nation's official life to pay a last tribute to the nation's honored dead. No mark of military pomp and ceremony that regulations could provide was wanting to render the occasion solemn and impressive.

THOUSANDS OF TROOPS.

Nearly all the available troops of the regular and volunteer establishments remaining in this country were called out. Three thousand men, infantry, cavalry and artillery, followed the flag-draped caisson to the grave.

But mere official formalities were dwarfed beside the deep popular demonstration that the burial of the dead soldier called forth. Every department of the government paid its official tribute. Flags hung at half mast. The president and his cabinet, representatives of the supreme court, of the house and senate, of the army and navy, all combined to fill the darkened church to its utmost.

But these official representatives of the people were lost in the great crowds that surrounded the church and lined the streets along which the procession passed.

IDEAL AMERICAN SOLDIER.

Lawton was to the people the ideal American soldier, whose exploits in three wars made his name a household word and who, being soldier of the first and only, died in the line of duty, leaving nothing to his children but the heritage of an honorable name. It was in tribute to this soldier's ideal that American generosity for weeks past had swelled "the Lawton fund" beyond all expectations of its originators and in further tribute today that the great outpouring of citizens filled the streets long before the hour when the services at the Church of the Covenant were to commence over the hero whose remains had lain in state under military guard through the silent watches of the night.

MOUNTAIN OF FLOWERS.

Soft lights burned above the chancel where flowers were piled railing high, while the casket was buried beneath a load of roses, lilies and white carnations that overflowed their narrow resting place and fell in a perfumed avalanche to the floor.

The guard, cavalrymen from Lawton's old command, stood at each end of the catafalque, silent and motionless as uniformed statues, and the hush of the silent church was broken only by the soft tread of those who entered with bowed heads to pay their last silent tribute to the brave.

THE PRESIDENT THERE.

President McKinley was among the earlier comers, accompanied by the secretary of war. They came to the church with Adjutant General Corbin, who, assisted by Col. Bingham, had charge of the official arrangements. The secretary of the navy, the secretary of the interior, the postmaster general, the attorney general and the secretary of agriculture were also there.

The supreme court was represented by Chief Justice Fuller and several of the associate judges. Admiral Dewey is absent from Washington, but was represented by Capt. A. S. Barker.

Ex-Secretary Alger was also present by proxy, having sent from Michigan Victor Mason, his secretary while in the war department, who brought a great wreath of flowers for the already overloaded casket.

The military committees of both house and senate were present, as well as all the senators and members who could gain access to the church. Army and navy officers filled most of the forward pews and a press of citizens stoop up at the rear and in the wide vestibule beyond the doors.

The Presbyterian burial service was red, by Chaplain Pierce, of Lawton's old comand, assisted by Rev. Tennis Hamlin, pastor of the church, and President Striker then arose to deliver the oration.

A GLOWING TRIBUTE.

Dr. Striker said in part:

"Over the width of the earth a soldier's household has brought its warrior home. The dust that the nation gathers to its guarding is of no common man. We are met to celebrate and to mourn him. But while we recall the record so compact with mildness and which the white blossoms of modesty crown with all, while we recite the story of one who personified our American traditions, first this day do we regard her sorrow who treads that 'solemn aisle of pain' the sanctity of whose shadows are accessible only to her God.

"Hither we have come—the people's chosen head, and all authorities else from their high several sessions—to pay our poor but tender alms of love to an unblemished memory; to thank Him, who is our dwelling place in all generations, that the stout tree of liberty still yields such manner of fruitage, and to pledge ourselves, considering the issue of the lives of our renowned dead, to imitate their unblushing and unblighted faith.

"Station is secondary, humanity is primary. And, whatever else any is, today we all are only men and women, brothers and sisters, lifting as children our wet faces toward the consolations of God. The stars of the spangled flag, covering new this shape of its noble warden, shine multiplied upon the dews of grief. But with a solemn joy it beseems his comrades of the army to give thanks for the life whose end must (after this parent period of difficult farewells) be viewed not as a calamity but as a conquest. 'Men unapt to weep' are smiled by the pathos of that courage we commemorate—courage, most touching of all human graces; but let them also smile with exalted hope as they lay upon this soldier's sepulchre the chaplets of their homage."

A MODERN BAYARD.

Dr. Striker eulogized General Lawton's military career and went on to say:

"This better Plantagenet, this latest Bayard, 'without fear and without reproach,' this modern Philip Sidney, whose life also was 'poetry put into action,' has shown once more of what a stuff is incorrigible manhood—in what substance root the memories that last. For a true poet (and so proven) is one who has written at least something of which no poet that ever lived could have been ashamed, would gladly have owned; and a true man is admitted to the fellowship of heroes by the equality and peerage of his supreme deeds. Here was one whom Raleigh, Gustavus Adolphus, William of Orange, Winkelried, Cambronne, Garibaldi would know at sight. He was of that time-enduring breed which has made Agincourt and Naseby and Quebec and Lucknow of immortal story. He was comrade to the Marylanders who guarded the retreat at Long Island, to the men who passed the Delaware, who served the guns of Pleasonton, who soaked the sod of the Peach Orchard, who ran singing through the tide at Manila, who held Guantanamo.

"Let it be said, and let it be said here, that none of us is of those who walk backward into the future and translate the present upside down. A timid and carping pessimism lives only in the pluperfect, but good faith lives in the future-perfect. The one is subjunctive, the other is indicative. Nay, duty is in the imperative and unconditional mood.

"When, in the name of mankind, and that peace might be real, we undertook in 1898 to cleanse the seas, we affirmed a principle and made a precedent that I, for one, hold to have written the most honorable leaf in all our history. But all that has been since was corollary to that. No special pleading of professional malcontents with whom wisdom will not die, no a priori abstraction, can unsay what this dead soldier's seal said for America. Rather does such a death enjoin upon our purpose and performance such ends as shall vindicate us from cowardly indifferentism and evasion in the face of whatever duty and however unexpected or complex—enjoin us to regard and to teach liberty's authority.

"In some good day—not far away, please God—when those islands, foundlings no longer, shall have been rendered as a majestic deodand to civilization, to regulated freedom, and to the God of these, there in fair Luzon, right where he fell in front of his duty, let the valiant frame of this true liberator rise in immuta-

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TO GET A QUORUM

DEMOCRATIC LEGISLATORS TO BE ARRESTED.

WILL BE TAKEN TO LONDON

REPUBLICANS ASSERT THAT TO BE THE COURSE.

NO CHANGE IN SITUATION

SUSPECTED ASSASSINS IN JAIL AT FRANKFORT.

London, Ky., Feb. 9.—It was reported this morning that warrants for the arrest of enough absent democratic members of both houses to constitute a quorum will be issued today. Senator Cox said this morning:

"We will certainly have a quorum in the senate and a quorum in the house. Further than that I can't say."

A message was received by Representative William S. Lewis, from Leslie county, from Governor Taylor early this morning, saying:

"Come to Frankfort on the first train."

Mr. Lewis at once departed. It is surmised that Governor Taylor wants to advise with him over what was done at yesterday's executive session

The hour of meeting in the house has been changed from noon to 10 a. m., because dinners are called promptly at noon in London boarding houses and no deviation is allowed.

NO CHANGE IN SITUATION.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 9.—There was no change in the situation here today. Governor Taylor spent the night at the home of a friend in Frankfort, having left the executive building for the first time since the Goebel assassination.

It was late in the morning when he reported at his office and then he declined to make a statement of any kind.

D. W. Fairleigh and Judge Barr, of Louisville, two of the republican parties to the Louisville conference, arrived this morning. They will hold a conference with Senator Blackburn and also with Governor Taylor, and it is hoped that some statement regarding the Louisville conference may be made before night.

It is likely that a general meeting of republicans will be held here tomorrow to consider the peace agreement as adopted at Louisville. For the last week Governor Taylor has been receiving telegrams by the hundred from all parts of the state urging him to stand firm and not to surrender anything.

He has sent a large number of telegrams to all of the gentlemen who have for the last five days showered him with advice, to be in Frankfort by Saturday morning.

What his intentions are is not known and he will say nothing regarding them. It is announced, however, from a source a little less authoritative than the governor himself that he desires to hear the objections they have to the agreement.

DEMOCRATS MEET.

Louisville, Ky., Feb. 9.—The democratic legislature met again in pursuance of the plans adopted early in the week. In the senate twenty members, one more than a quorum, were present. Resolutions of respect to the memory of Governor Goebel were adopted and the senate adjourned until tomorrow.

In the house repeated roll calls failed to disclose more than forty-nine members, two less than a quorum. A recess until 3 o'clock was taken, the democratic managers asserting that enough members to transact business are now in the city. The published report that warrants had been sworn out at Frankfort for the arrest of enough democratic members to make a quorum for the legislature in session at London caused quite a flurry for awhile, but the morning passed without any interference.

SUSPECTED OF THE MURDER.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 9.—Two men suspected of complicity in the murder of Governor Goebel were arrested in a boarding house today. The names are Silas Jones, of Whitley county, and Gottschalk, of Nelson county. The men are said to have slept in the executive building for a time and they will be kept in confinement until something more definite is known as to their whereabouts at the time of the assassination. Both strongly deny any knowledge of the murder.

TAYLOR NOT REPRESENTED.

Georgetown, Ky., Feb. 9—Governor Taylor was not represented when Judge Cantrill called the injunction proceedings here today. On request of Judge Pryor, for the plaintiffs, the hearing was postponed till Tuesday next.

This is the action in which the democratic members of the legislature ask for a restraining order preventing Governor Taylor from removing the legislature from the capitol at Frankfort.

A NEGRO HANGED.

New York, Feb. 9.—James K. Brown, colored, was hanged in the Hudson county jail at Jersey City today for the murder of Policeman Charles Gebhardt in Hoboken. The police say that Brown was a professional burglar. He killed Gebhardt when the latter tried to arrest him on suspicion in July, 1898.

DETECTIVE AFTER THIEVES

A TRIO TAKEN BACK TO TOLEDO BY OFFICER NICHTER.

Robbed One Junk Dealer and Sold the Goods to Another—Coling Caught Them.

Detective Joe Nichter, of the Toledo police force, came to Fort Wayne last evening after three thieves arrested by Detective Coling. The Sentinel mentioned yesterday the arrest of Frank and Henry Dennos, and later Detective Coling arrested Martin Kinney alias Franklin, the third member of the gang. Franklin is the man who knocked down Keeper Upplegger at the jail and made his escape ten days ago. He secured employment in the Nickel Plate coal docks and was at work there when arrested by Detective Coling. The thieves were taken to Toledo on the 11:55 Wabash train this forenoon.

Detective Nichter says that the three men are wanted for robbing a Toledo junk dealer. They entered the place and carried away railroad brass, which was sold to another dealer and immediately shipped by him to Detroit, where it was recovered by the Toledo police. The Dennos and Kinney were suspected of the burglary and Detective Nichter says there is plenty of evidence to convict them.

Mr. Nichter has been on the Toledo police force twenty years and tells many interesting stories of his chases after criminals. He entertained the officers at the station this morning with some of these stories.

ROUTES ARE CHANGED.

In accordance with the announcement made some days ago, the route of the street cars on the Hanna and Main street lines was changed this morning, and until the public becomes familiar with it, some little confusion may result. The Hanna street cars now start at the eastern (Walton avenue) terminal, and on reaching the transfer corner, proceed west on Main street to Lindenwood. The Main street cars start at Glasgow avenue, and when Main and Calhoun streets are reached are turned north over the Bloomingdale line. The change is made for the benefit of those living in the southeastern part of the city and are employed in the west end, as the factories there may now be reached from the Hanna street line without transfer.

MINERS MAKE TROUBLE.

Fort DeFrance, Martinique, Feb. 9.—(Via Haytian cable)—A mob of about 1,200 miners has, since Monday last, been preventing the harvesting of sugar cane. The movement is extending and troops have been sent in all directions. An infantry post of twenty-five men was attacked and fired on its assailants, killing nine men and wounding fourteen. In the community of LeFrancoise two incendiary fires have occurred on plantations.

STEAMER NOT DAMAGED.

New York, Feb. 9.—The steamer Gate City, of the Ocean Steamship company's Savannah line, which went ashore in the fog last night at Great South Beach, lies today inside of the outer bar with her bow in the break. The vessel is in good condition and will probably float when lightened of her cargo of cotton. There is not much sea running today.

FOR COUNTY FAIR.

COMMERCIAL CLUB SENDS OUT A COMMITTEE.

TO TEST PUBLIC SENTIMENT

WILL SEE WHAT CAN BE DONE WITH THE PROJECT.

THE MINISTERS ARE HEARD

OTHER BUSINESS TAKEN UP BY THE CLUB.

Messrs. Ben Lehman, F. M. Smith, L. A. Ivins, A. S. Coverdale and W. F. Graeter compose a committee named by the Fort Wayne Commercial club to ascertain public sentiment regarding the organization of a county fair association, and they will report their findings at a meeting to be held Thursday evening, February 22. At its meeting Thursday evening the Commercial club went on record as favoring the project of a county fair, after the matter had been thoroughly discussed by Messrs. P. A. Randall, R. B. Hanna, W. H. Shambaugh, Frank Alderman, President Foster and others. The formation of an association will, however, depend entirely upon the interest shown in the matter by the citizens of Fort Wayne generally.

A number of complaints were registered regarding the new system of fares on the street cars. It was stated that the old tickets had been withdrawn, and that the new tickets which sold in lots of 100 at $4 were not transferable; that if a book-holder had a friend with him whose fare he desired to pay it was necessary to pay it in cash. Some confusion has also arisen concerning the manner of purchasing the new 3½-cent tickets for workingmen, and after the matter had been talked of for some time, it was referred back to the committee on railroads and transportation. This committee will visit Manager Scott, and its members are confident arrangements will be made so that there shall be no future cause for complaint.

Rev. J. S. Ainslie and Rev. L. L. Henson were present as representatives of the committee which recently visited Mayor Scherer to ask a more rigid observance of the laws regarding the sale of intoxicating liquors. Rev. Ainslie stated that they wanted the club's assistance in the matter. The mayor had received them kindly, and promised a correction of the evils complained of, but Rev. Ainslie stated that saloons were still violating the law. They invoked the interest of this body of men who represent so many important interests in Fort Wayne. Mr. Henson's remarks were along the same lines, and stated that the matter was brought to the club because it was learned that in Kansas City the commercial club had aided in reforms in this direction.

Following the ministers, President Foster stated that the organization was entirely willing to have any question of public interest referred to it, and that so long as he was president, at least, every cause respectfully presented should have a respectful hearing.

The president reported that he had been unable to attend the meeting of the state board of commerce, and that he had delegated that duty to Alexander Johnson, who was then in Indianapolis attending the sessions. The club adjourned to meet February 22, to hear the report of the county fair committee.

A BROKER FAILS.

New York, Feb. 9.—The failure of John Collins was announced at the opening of the cotton exchange. Mr. Collins said that his obligations are not extensive and that he is prepared to meet all bills as they are presented.

MR. FOSTER CHOSEN.

The Indiana state board of commerce, in session at Indianapolis, yesterday elected Samuel M. Foster, of this city, as vice president for the Twelfth district. The president of the board of commerce is Hon. William Fortune, of Indianapolis, who delivered an address before the Commercial club in this city a few months ago.

One drunk and a vagrant were in police court this morning. The drunk was released and the vagrant sent to jail by Mayor Scherer.

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LONG LIFE ENDED,

COL. RICHARD W. THOMPSON PASSES AWAY.

DEATH CAME AT EARLY HOUR

LIFE EXTENDED FROM JEFFERSON TO M'KINLEY.

ALL PRESIDENTS SAVE TWO

A LONG AND USEFUL CAREER IS CLOSED.

Terre Haute, Ind., Feb. 9.—Col. Richard Wigginton Thompson died at 1:10 o'clock this morning.

His death had been hourly expected all day, and when Dr. Roberts left the residence of Colonel Thompson, some time after midnight, he said the colonel was barely alive, and probably would die within the hour.

Colonel Thompson was unconscious all day yesterday, his brain being paralyzed.

A telegram from his son, Richard W. Thompson, jr., of Marshall, Texas, says he will arrive here tomorrow. Fred Thompson, another son, is in California. At the colonel's bedside were his son, Harry, and his two daughters, Mrs. D. W. Henry, wife of Collector of Internal Revenue Henry, and Miss Mollie Thompson.

A LONG PUBLIC CAREER.

Col. Richard Wigginton Thompson was born in Culpeper county, Va., June 9, 1809, and was of Scotch-Irish descent. He received a good education and in 1831 removed to Louisville, Ky., where he served for a time as storekeeper's clerk. Thence he went to Lawrence county, Ind., where he alternately taught school and engaged in mercantile pursuits, at the same time reading law at night. In after years he founded there the Lawrence county seminary. In 1834 he was admitted to the bar and began to practice in Bedford. The same year he was elected to the Indiana state legislature and reelected in 1835 and 1836. It was in the latter year that Mr. Thompson gained the title of colonel, Governor Noble having appointed him member of his staff, with the rank of colonel. Mr. Thompson was elected to congress in 1841, but declined a second term. President Taylor offered him the position of minister to Austria, which he declined, and was appointed chief of the land office. Lincoln made him judge of claims, and President Hayes made him secretary of the navy in his cabinet. In 1880 Colonel Thompson resigned to accept the chairmanship of the Panama Canal company in America, and later he was elected to the bench of Vigo county and then appointed internal revenue collector for the Terre Haute district. Among his literary works are "Recollections of Sixteen Presidents," "The Footsteps of the Jesuits," "The Papacy and the Civil Power" and "A History of the Tariff."

Colonel Thompson was long the oldest ex-member of congress, and the only one living who served in the congress elected in 1841. A few years ago, when his book, "Personal Recollections of the Presidents," was published, he sent a copy to Robert C. Winthrop, of Massachusetts, who served with him in that congress, and with himself and ex-Governor Bradbury, of Maine, were then the only survivors of the congress, but Mr. Winthrop died before he finished reading the book. Governor Bradbury has since died. It is not thought there are more than three or four living ex-members of the congress of 1849, in which Mr. Thompson and Mr. Lincoln sat side by side.

A MASTER POLITICIAN.

There is no more interesting character in the history of American politics than that of Colonel Thompson. A few years ago he completed an important contribution to history—his personal recollections of the presidents. From John Adams down to McKinley he knew them all. As a politician he was probably without a peer in the Hoosier state, where he made his home almost from his boyhood days. He was the intimate friend of Oliver P. Morton, and was more or less closely in connection with the expose of the Knights of the Golden Circle in Indiana at the close of the civil war. His position as provost marshal placed him in touch with the men of that time and gave him an insight into the affairs of men and the state such as few men were able to boast.

When Hayes stepped into the presidential chair one of his first official acts was to appoint Colonel Thompson secretary of the navy, which position he resigned to accept the presidency of the American branch of the Panama Canal company at a salary of $25,000 a year. He was prevailed upon to accept it by Count Ferdinand de Lesseps, the great French engineer, who had only a few years before achieved the crowning glory of his profession by completing the Suez canal. The two men became fast friends in the years that followed the beginning of the colossal operations at the Isthmus of Panama. Colonel Thompson was the soul of honor, and there is no doubt that had he dreamed of the unsavory ending of the undertaking and the scandals that developed a few years later he would have spurned the offer. In the light of what we know now it is evident that De Lesseps, even at that early date, was more of a schemer than the world was aware, and that he urged Colonel Thompson to resign the secretaryship of the navy to accept the presidency of the American branch of the company solely for the effect the announcement that "the American minister of marine had resigned to take charge of our company's affairs on that side of the Atlantic" would have upon the French capitalists who were subscribing the money to carry on the enterprise.

In politics he was a born leader. He had a knack of knowing instinctively what was going on. He seldom did any of the actual work of organization, as he had at all times the entire confidence of his party (republican), and there were plenty of better organizers to attend to the details when once the general plan was mapped out for them. As far back as 1880 he delivered the opening and closing speeches of the national campaign in Indiana at Terre Haute, in both of which he stated that he was growing old and probably would not live to address his fellow-townsmen on the eve of another presidential election. He said the same thing in the '84 campaign, and repeated it in '88 and '92. He was one of the most eloquent speakers in the United States and for many years, even after his hair was silvered by age, he retained the titles of the "Silver-tongued Orator" and the "Old Man Eloquent." One of the most pathetic incidents ever witnessed was when the old man broke down completely in the middle of a speech at a Masonic banquet. He was so disappointed that it made him ill, and for a time he seemed to feel that his end was approaching. He recovered completely, however, and at the Minneapolis convention he made the nominating speech for Harrison.

In his early manhood Colonel Thompson relinquished all hopes of political favor by publishing a book assailing the papacy. He knew what its effect would be, but threw his chances to the wind for the sake of his opinions. He never came before the people for election, and only once after that did he accept a political office. That was when he became a member of Hayes' cabinet.

The "Old Man Eloquent" was the townsman and contemporary of the late Senator Daniel W. Voorhees. A comparison of the two would be almost impossible. They were essentially different in all things. Their tastes and habits were as wide apart as it would be possible for two men to be. They differed in politics and religion, and in their views on questions of political economy, but they were broad-minded men, and were friends to the day of the senator's death. Thompson never went into politics for personal aggrandizement, but rather studied it as a science. Voorhees was repeatedly elected to congress from what was for many years the Eighth Indiana district, and served several terms in the senate.

Colonel Thompson was passionately fond of children, and there was scarcely a little tot in his native town old enough to lisp his name who would not run to greet him on the street. The old man would stop and kiss dirty-faced urchins, toss them to his shoulder and trot along with them like any schoolboy. He treated rich and poor alike, and it probably was this trait of character as much as any other that endeared him to the general public.

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Rev. P. J. Rice, pastor of the West Jefferson street Church of Christ, will preach his farewell sermon on Sunday morning. Each member of the congregation will be presented with a souvenir of the occasion at the close of the service.

JUDGE VESEY GAVE WARNING

CONFERENCE WITH ATTORNEYS IN WILL CASE.

Mrs. Thelka Nebur Gets a Divorce From John Nebur—Other Court News.

Shortly after 4 o'clock Thursday afternoon Judge Vesey called the attorneys in the Nestel case to his private office and there informed them that information had reached the court that persons interested in the suit had been associating with some of the jurymen. He was not informed that there had been anything improper in the association, but deemed it advisable for the attorneys to advise their clients to be careful and not come in contact with jurymen. There was a heated discussion, the attorneys all denying anything improper on their part. The matter was soon smoothed over and the case proceeded. Indications are that the trial will continue for at least ten days longer and it would be a calamity to the courts should it be necessary to retry it.

TWO DIVORCES.

Judge O'Rourke today granted Moses Rosenthal a divorce from his wife, Ilda Rosenthal. The husband alleged cruel treatment. He was given custody of their one child, aged 9 years.

In the same court Clara B. Fosmite was granted a divorce from Hiram L. Fosmite. She was allowed to resume her maiden name, Clara B. Minnich. The parties reside in Maysville.

COURT NOTES.

Ora Shannon has applied for a divorce from Bertha Shannon. He alleges abandonment. J. E. K. France is plaintiff's attorney.

The case against August Kanne, who is charged with burglary and larceny, has been set for trial February 16.

Justice France fined Frank Johnson, a farmer, $1 and costs for pro family. Johnson has filed an affidavit against George Coleman charging him with assault and battery. The latter is a school teacher and the court cases grow out of a quarrel.

The case of Rudisill vs. Gump has been dismissed.

The two cases of John P. Evans vs. Hiram Porter et al. and John P. Evans vs. J. F. Schell et al. have been set for trial before Judge O'Rourke on February 20.

In the superior court Thursday Judge Vesey granted Thekla Nebur a divorce from John Nebur and she was also given the custody of the children. The defendant is ordered to pay $2.50 a month for the support of Millie, the eldest child, until April 2, 1901; also $2.50 per month for the support of Theodore until January 31, 1905, and the same sum per month for the support of Mary, the youngest child, until January 31, 1907.

A road was established by user in Cedar Creek township on petition of John Hensinger.

Herman Leschner, administrator of the estate of Ernest Heinig, filed his final report.

Cecelia H. Graffe made her final report of the distribution of the estate of Henry C. Graffe and was discharged as administratrix.

Cyrus H. Barker sues William E. Mossman to recover $1,600 due on a note. Harper & Wilson are attorneys.

Judge O'Rourke set the case of William H. Shultz vs. Joseph C. Houk for trial on February 22, and the case of John P. Evans vs. J. F. Schell and others on February 9.

BASE BALL.

The Inter-State league meeting has been postponed from February 9 to the 16th and will be held in either Cleveland or Columbus, the inter city now being a member of the league in place of Springfield. Mr. Reilly, a Columbus citizen, will own the club and Torreyson will be frozen out. The Fort Wayne management has signed Ed Herr, Norman Brashear, "Doggie" Miller, Sample and a Chicago amateur shortstop named Hoffman. "Whitey" Guese has also attached his signature to a Fort Wayne contract, but Indianapolis has drafted him. Glasscock has written to Director Mautner and suggests that the team should be strengthened at once, and he has been requested to try and sign some strong players. Letcher cannot be located. Hollingsworth will be signed and it is hoped that Charley Babb will decide to again play in Fort Wayne. The local management is in correspondence with Ream, the young twirler who has been doing some phenomenal pitching for the Rochester, Ind., team for two years. The Fort Wayne grounds will be better than ever next season. The embankment on the east side has been sodded and no more will fielders slip and fall as they climb after "high balls."

Dr. W. R. Mayo left today for Bethel, N. C., to remain a few days on a visit to relatives.

DEATHS AND FUNERALS.

WARD.

Mrs. Maud Ward, wife of Charles Ward, died at 7:30 o'clock this morning at the family home, 31 Smith street, from heart trouble. Mrs. Ward was a daughter of William McMullen. She had been ill for about one week, and last evening her condition grew critical. Medical skill was powerless and death occurred this morning. Her age was 27 years, and surviving her are the husband and one son.

The funeral services will probably be held on Sunday afternoon.

GOERTZ.

Early this morning Mrs. Sophia Goertz, wife of Theodore Goertz, died from consumption at her home, 68 Pontiac street, at the age of 30 years, 1 month and 13 days. Mrs. Goertz was the daughter of the late Ernest Pruesse, of Marion township, and her illness has been an extended one. She leaves the husband and one daughter 9 years of age.

Funeral services will be held Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence, and at 2:30 from Zion's Lutheran church, Rev. H. Luehr officiating. Interment at Concordia.

GERKE.

Albert Gerke, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Gerke, of 140 Lake avenue, died at 11 o'clock this morning from membranous croup. The lad was but eight years of age and has been ill but a few days. The father is a traveling salesman for Moellering Bros. & Millard.

The funeral announcement will be made later.

FUNERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Henry.—Funeral services of Josiah Henry will be held Sunday afternoon at 1 o'clock from the residence of John Oswald, in Washington township. The interment will be at Hadley.

Lyle.—Funeral services of John Q. Lyle will be held Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence, 328 East Jefferson street, Rev. Henson officiating.

A merry crowd of Wayne Street Epworth Leaguers went to the home of Rev. Spellman on East Berry street, last evening and spent a most enjoyable evening. An impromptu program of music and recitations was rendered.

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Editor Sentinel:—Please announce my name as a candidate for judge of the superior court, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention. JOHN H. AIKEN.

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THOMAS E. ELLISON.

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Editor Sentinel:—Please announce my name as a candidate for the office of sheriff of Allen county, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.

FRANK H. WHITNEY.

To the Voters of Allen County:—I hereby announce that I am a candidate for the nomination for sheriff of Allen county, subject to the decision of the democratic convention to be held this year.

FRANK FALKER.

Editor Sentinel—Please announce that I will be a candidate for sheriff of Allen county before the democratic nominating convention, subject to its decision. GEO. W. STOUT.

COUNTY TREASURER.

Editor Sentinel:—Please announce my name as a candidate for the nomination for county treasurer, subject to the democratic nominating convention.

JOHN H. ROHAN.

FOR COUNTY SURVEYOR.

Editor Sentinel:—Please announce my name as a candidate for county surveyor, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.

JOHN A. BUSHMAN.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

Editor Sentinel—Please announce my name as a candidate for both the long and short terms of county commissioner of the First district, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.

A. R. SCHNITKER.

Editor Sentinel:—Please announce that I am a candidate for county commissioner of the First district, for the regular term, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.

CHRISTIAN SCHLAUDROFF.

Editor Sentinel—Please announce that I am a candidate for county commissioner of the Second district, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.

BENJ. M'QUISTON,
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Editor Sentinel:—Please announce that I am a candidate for county commissioner from the Second district, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.

M. L. MOUDY,
Cedar Creek Township.

Editor Sentinel:—Please announce my name as a candidate for re-nomination for county commissioner from Third district, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.

C. E. ORFF.

Editor Sentinel:—The many friends of Charles Griebel desire to announce his name as a candidate for county commissioner of Third district, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention, March 24.

Editor Sentinel—Please announce my name as a candidate for nomination for commissioner of the Third district, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention held March 24.

M. M. THOMPSON.

COUNTY ASSESSOR.

Editor Sentinel:—Please announce my name as a candidate for county assessor, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention. WILLIAM EGGEMANN.

Editor Sentinel:—Please announce my name as a candidate for county assessor, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention. JOS. TONKEL.

TRUSTEE WAYNE TOWNSHIP.

Editor Sentinel:—Please announce my name as a candidate for trustee of Wayne township, subject to the decision of the township democratic nominating convention.

WM. GAFFNEY.

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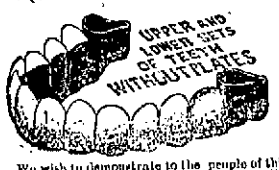

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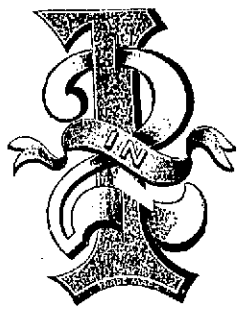

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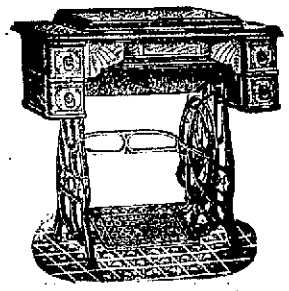

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LOCAL NEWS.

Mrs. Wilmena Farrand, who has been quite ill, is improving.

Mrs. P. A. Allen, of Bluffton, is the guest of her brother, T. Swaim, of this city.

Miss Maud Sperry left this morning for Ann Arbor, Mich., to attend the annual hop.

U. S. Raut, a traveling salesman of Auburn, transacted business in Fort Wayne Thursday.

Attorney O. W. Whitelock, of Huntington, was in Fort Wayne yesterday on legal business.

Mrs. Alex White will entertain at progressive pedro on Friday and Saturday, Feb. 16th and 17th.

Mrs. Emma Miller has returned home after a pleasant visit in Bluffton with Mrs. Jacob Lance.

Dr. W. W. Barnett was in Huntington last evening, where he visited with the D. A. Purviance family.

Fred C. Gumpper, the cigar dealer, was made a member of Summit City lodge, No. 36, A. O. U. W., last evening.

Miss Cora Kilander, of Huntington, arrived in Fort Wayne yesterday and is the guest of Miss Clara Busse.

Mrs. William Keyser, of 86 Wells street, who was suddenly taken critically ill Thursday night, is now much improved.

Miss Elizabeth Rolf, of this city, is arranging with Miss Anna Zwick, of Decatur, to open a millinery store in the latter city.

A valentine party will be given the pupils and friends of the Mulqueen dancing academy Wednesday evening, February 14.

A pleasurable surprise party was given in honor of William Dolan on Wednesday afternoon. Progressive pedro was the order of the day.

Mrs. John Nobles, of Toledo, formerly Miss Ethel Shober, of this city, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Viola Shober, of 326 East Wayne street.

Miss Alda Larimore, a clerk for the Lackey Dry Goods company, of Auburn, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. P. W. Fair, of 88 Wells street.

The members of the Epworth league of the Wayne street M. E. church were pleasantly entertained at the home of Mr. Spellman on Thursday evening.

C. S. Bash, Dan Bash and G. Max Hoffmann were at Montpelier yesterday attending a meeting of the directors of the National Steel Casting company, in which they are largely interested.

Mrs. Richard Brown delightfully entertained a number of her lady friends Wednesday afternoon from 2 to 5 o'clock at a thimble party. A dainty three-course dinner was served at 6 o'clock by the hostess, assisted by the Misses Adelia Weber and Eleanor Minnich.

A party of friends surprised Miss Carrie Eeald on Wednesday evening and a most pleasant evening was spent in playing progressive pedro. Miss Alice Jackson and Charles Brown were the winners of the first prizes and the boobies were awarded to Miss Julia Burns and John Nelson.

Court 96, Tribe of Ben Hur, gave an entertainment last evening, consisting of a musical and literary program in the early evening, followed by a two hours' dance. There were about 200 in attendance and they are justly liberal in their praise of the entertainment. The affair was given at Kimball hall.

Huntington Herald: "George W. Stults has received a letter from his brother, Dr. Charles Stults, who is in Colorado for the benefit of his health. He states in the missive that he is very hoarse and his condition is not showing much improvement. His physician compels him to be out eight hours in the day and tells him it would be unwise to return to Indiana."

Isadore Mautner was beaten by Tom Dascomb in the billiard tournament last night. Mr. Mautner was to have played 150 to Mr. Dascomb's 90, but the latter ran the game out when Mr. Mautner had made only 116 points. The averages were: Dascomb, 2 16-37; Mautner, 3 5-37. Dascomb's high run was 10 and Mautner's 17. This evening the game will be between Mr. Mautner and Dr. Davis.

Retail Clerks' union No. 288 held a meeting at its hall Tuesday evening, and at the close of the regular session the members enjoyed a smoker arranged by M. Keil, F. Baade and J. H. Beyerline. F. D. Stapleford officiated as toastmaster, presiding over an elaborate program of music, readings and selections. The event closed with a coke walk given by Messrs. Frank Gaffney and Ralph Smith.

Miss Jessie McLachlan and Miss Irene Smith entertained a party of young ladies at progressive euchre on Thursday afternoon at the home of Miss Smith. In the evening the gentlemen were invited and progressive pedro was played. The rooms were prettily decorated with flowers. The prizes in the afternoon were water color drawings, a landscape and a cluster of roses, painted by the hostesses. The first prize in euchre was won by Miss Lillian Ash and the consolation by Miss Knight. The guest of honor was Miss Stella Hawkins, of Portland, Ind., who is the guest of Miss McLachlan.

Miss Flora MacMillan, who has been visiting in Lagrange, is quite ill with pneumonia.

Miss Mary O'Rourke returned to Cincinnati Thursday evening, to remain several months.

John W. Stophlet, of Detroit, is in the city. In his boyhood days Mr. Stophlet lived in Fort Wayne.

The St. Andrew's guild will meet at the St. Andrew's mission, South Wayne avenue, Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Miss Hattie Daniel, of Columbia City, arrived in Fort Wayne Thursday and will visit with friends for two weeks.

Mrs. R. B. Wheeler, of 41 Michigan avenue, was removed to St. Joseph hospital today, where she will undergo treatment.

The members of the Jeffersonian league will hold a meeting this evening at democratic headquarters to arrange for the banquet on March 1.

Miss Laura Watts, of Van Wert, who was visiting her brother, Frank A. Watts, of the Wabash shops, returned to her home this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Schultze and Mesdames F. G. Grisier and C. D. Mayers, of Columbia City, were visitors in Fort Wayne yesterday.

There will be a cottage prayer meeting of members of Bethany Presbyterian church this evening at the home of Elder Van Tilberg, of West Main street.

Alexander Johnson and Charles R. Lane, representing the Fort Wayne Commercial club, have been in attendance at the meeting of the state board of commerce at Indianapolis. Mr. Johnson read a paper before that body.

At the meeting of the Knights and Ladies of Columbia last evening the supreme counsellor, Ormonde Kennedy, was present and exemplified the new ritual recently adopted by that order. The meeting was a very interesting one. Mr. Kennedy left today for Huntington.

Will Hulse, who has been making an extended visit to his parents in this city, has gone to Schenectady, N. Y., where he is in the employ of an electrical concern, and will shortly leave for a foreign post of duty for his company. Mr. Hulse was formerly stationed at Berlin.

Mrs. Henrietta Townsend, of New York, is expected this evening to be the guest of Miss Helen Stump. Mrs. Townsend, before her marriage to a prominent New York attorney, was Virginia Earle's understudy in "A Runaway Girl," and has played in all of the leading cities.

Auditor Bauld, of the Telephone, Telegraph and Cable Company of America, will arrive in the city Saturday, and in company with Superintendent Trier, of the National lines, will make a tour of inspection over those lines. Mr. Bauld's company is the one with which George W. Beers is associated.

Three hundred out-of-town visitors are expected to be in attendance at the state convention of Master Plumbers to be held in this city in April, and local members of the association are now making arrangements for the meeting. The sessions will be held at Elks' hall, and the convention will last three days.

Leon Hoffman and Miss Annette Rosenbaum were united in marriage Thursday evening, the ceremony being performed by Justice Bullerman, at 5 o'clock, at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Minerva Pyles, on Barr street. Only immediate friends were present, and following the ceremony an elaborate supper was served. Mr. and Mrs. Hoffman are receiving the congratulations of many friends, who wish for them an unclouded future.

WILL EXTEND A CALL.

The directors of Concordia college, at a meeting held Thursday evening, voted to extend a call to Rev. B. Dorn, of New York, to fill the position made vacant by the resignation of Professor Duemling, and the formal invitation will be extended at once. It is believed Rev. Dorn will accept the position.

GOES OUT OF BUSINESS.

Within a week the offices of the Roadmakers' Supply company, in the Bank block, will be closed, as that company is rapidly liquidating its affairs and going out of business. The movement was precipitated by the withdrawal of the Fleming Manufacturing company from the organization a few days ago, as noted in The Sentinel. Manager Landenberger will resume his former position at the works of the Indiana Road Machine company.

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UPRISING IS SERIOUS.

London, Feb. 9.—A special dispatch from Cairo says the mutiny of Soudanese troops at Khartoum has assumed serious proportions and is causing great anxiety.

NINETEEN MAY BE LOST.

London, Feb. 9.—The new Russian steam dredger Devolante, which left the Clyde December 21 for Odessa, is overdue and has been given up as lost. It is surmised that she foundered in the channel. There were nineteen persons on board the Devolante.

THE LOWEST POINT.

The lowest point of land between the two oceans on the American continent is the grand divide in Nicaragua, where the elevation is only 146 feet. The lowest point of land on the Isthmus of Panama, according to the report of the canal commission, is Culebra, which is 333 feet above tide-water, and is now the scene of active work by the Panama Canal company.—Indianapolis News.

THING'S SHOES.

Tomorrow will be a great shoe day at Thing's, the busy shoe house.

Children's Tan and Black Shoes, sizes 5 to 8, tomorrow 25c.

Ladies' Tan and Black Shoes, 99c.

Ladies' Fine Dongola Dress Shoes, $1.25.

Ladies' Fine Dress Shoes, the Jenkins $3.00 shoe, tomorrow $2.22.

Men's $3.00 Tan Shoes tomorrow, $2.37.

James Means' $3.00 Men's Shoes tomorrow $1.98.

Boys' Shoes, 99c.

Men's Congress and Lace Shoes, 99c.

Men's first quality Rubbers, 50c.

Ladies' Rubbers, 15c, 25c, 35c, 40c.

Men's $1.50 Arctic Overshoes, 99c.

Misses' 75c Arctic Overshoes, 50c.

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Have you ever tried the Famous A. I. C. high-grade coffees? If not, do not fail to do so. Coverdale & Archer, Edwin Rich, Dudane & Son carry a full line and guarantee you the best coffee values you ever received.

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WANTED—Washing; will call for same or go to the house. 104 Mechanics street. 6-6t

WANTED—If you want to borrow money, see "ad" on second page, first column. Room 3, Arcade, upstairs. 13-tf

WANTED—Lady cashier of experience for retail establishment; reference required. Address Box 14, Sentinel. 6-tf

WANTED—To trade 80 acres in Kent Co., near Grand Rapids, Mich., for a stock of any kind of goods. Address, Kent, this office. 3t6

WANTED—Money to loan, by private party, in sums of $100 to $1,000, at low rate of interest; security must be first-class. Address, "Money," care Sentinel. 3t6

WANTED—Madam Anna, 27 Lavina St., Clairvoyant and Medium; truthful advice on any business matter; after-sunset reading Sunday evening; no one turned away. Fee, 50c. 9t2

WANTED—To trade inside business and residence property in city of 5,000; exchange for Fort Wayne property; annual rental $600.00; will assume small incumbrance. Address X. Y. Z., Sentinel. 20tf

WANTED—Men to learn barber trade; 500 positions at $60 monthly waiting our graduates; new field; can earn tuition; two months complete. All information, with handsome 1900 souvenir mailed free. Moler Barber College, Chicago, Ill. 3t6

WANTED—If you want money on your household furniture, horses, carriages, pianos and other like security on easy payments, everything left in your possession, call and see us. The Reliance Loan Co., Room 6, Arcade, upstairs; open every evening. 18-1mo

WANTED—Girls for general housework; good wages; have two men wanting work as coachmen or any kind of work; can give best of references; man wants work as clerk in hotel or as packer in wholesale house; good reference. Mrs. Ellen Fitzgerald, 39 West Washington street. 16-tf

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—A nice room, suitable for two men; 105 Barr St. 9-3t

FOR RENT—Five-room house, with bath, etc.; rent, $10.00. 112 Force street. 9-tf

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FOR RENT—Nicely furnished room, with board; hot and cold bath; terms reasonable. 29 East Washington street. 2-1mo

FOR RENT—If you want money on household goods see "ad" on second page, first column. Room 3, Arcade, upstairs. 13-tf

FOR RENT—Store room 117 Calhoun St. Enquire at office of Jas. Armstrong & Co., Cor. Calhoun and Washington Sts. 8-6t

FOR RENT—Eight-room house, with all modern conveniences, electric light, bath, etc., 109 E. Washington St. Address, or apply, Henry J. Stier, People's Store. 8t2

FOR RENT—A nicely furnished room, suitable for man and wife or one or two gentlemen; with steam heat and bath; in an elegant location. 198 W. Wayne St. 5t6

FOR RENT—Dwelling, 106 Fairfield avenue; 191 West DeWald street; rooms, 59 West Superior street; 223 Fairfield avenue. Schrader & Wilson, first floor, 7 Court St. 29-tf

FOR RENT—Lodge room can be had by parties desiring it on either Wednesday or Friday evening at very reasonable price; nice dancing floor in same building to rent on any Saturday afternoon or evening. Telephone 1082, new 'phone. 10-tf

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—A fresh Jersey cow and calf. 240 Erie St. 8-2t

FOR SALE—New 6-room cottage on West Main St., 45 foot lot; $1,800. W. E. Doud. 7-tf

FOR SALE—40 foot frontage on Clinton St., near Jefferson; price $2,300. W. E. Doud. 7-tf

FOR SALE—I am offering College Place lots on West Wayne street at regular prices. W. E. Doud. 7-tf

FOR SALE—481 Lafayette St., 9 rooms, front hall, open stairs, lot 50x150, $2,700. W. E. Doud. 7-tf

FOR SALE—Good 6 room house on Madison St., at a bargain. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7-tf

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FOR SALE—If you want to buy a house, lot or farm; if you want to borrow money or want to sell property, see Bobilya, Room 22, Bank block.

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FOR SALE—A good family horse, age 11 years, weight 1,200 lbs; chestnut sorrel; an Indianapolis buggy and set of shop-made harness. Address, Rev. E. Campbell, Ossian, Ind. 9t6

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FOR SALE—Good 2-story barn, 35x22, and the lot it stands on, 35x145, S. Harrison street., one-half square south of Wabash freight house. Inquire at Corcoran's Drug store, near by. Cole in property and a bargain. 27-1m

FOR SALE—Square base burner, soft coal burner, oil stove, parlor cook, and a few kitchen stoves, all as good as new; repairs for all stoves and ranges; bronzing, general repairing and chimney sweeping. C. M. Maxwell, 290 South Calhoun street. 'Phone 427 South. 8-6t

FOR SALE—Southern lands—If you or any of your friends are interested in the south and have no way of getting at facts, call or write me and I will give all information desired. I have timber, fruit and farm lands at low prices. Excursions twice a month. Geo. K. Torrence, No. 9 Arcade. 27-tf

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The Evening Sentinel.

BY E. A. K. HACKETT.

FRIDAY, FEB. 9, 1900.

TONIGHT.

Jeffersonian League—Special meeting in club rooms at democratic headquarters, Foster block.

Concert—At Christ's Lutheran church corner Jefferson and Webster streets.

Hebrew Temple—Regular services.

G. A. R.—Regular meeting of Sion S. Bass post No. 40, at G. A. R. hall.

Shamrock Hall—Invitation dance of Shamrock Literary club.

Plumbers—Regular meeting of Union No. 66 at 27 East Berry street, Tri-State block.

Lodges—Summit City No. 170, F. & A. M., meets for work; Fort Camp No. 758, Royal Neighbors; Ladies' Temple No. 1, Knights of Golden Eagle; Court Kekionga No. 1530, Order of Foresters; B. P. O. E. No. 155; Concordia No. 41, D. of R.; Royal Templars; Pathfinders; Summit City Division, U. R. K. P.; Mad Anthony Tent No. 95, K. O. T. M.; Fort Wayne No. 152, I. O. O. F.; Maumee No. 50, A. O. U. W.; Good Samaritans of the World.

Masonic Temple—The Davidson Stock company in repertoire each evening during the week.

President Gompers, of the American Federation of Labor, has gone to Cuba to study industrial matters there, with a view of forming unions.

General Joubert, by way of being a humorist, complains that the English countermanded an order to attack his troops without notifying him, and thereby deprived him of a whole night's sleep.

New York boasts of a "Co-operative League," which lends money up to $200 to people who want to get married, but cannot afford it. The interest charged for the loan varies from 18 to 36 per cent. per annum.

The University of Chicago has voted down the proposition to adopt phonetic spelling. The spelling reformers must have failed to show that the proposition to knock out the intricacies of spelling would be grateful to the eminent financial power whence come endowments.

The house of representatives seems to have decided that it would prefer to steer clear of such vexatious questions as the pollution of rivers by the sewage of cities. Notwithstanding Chicago's professed desire to have that subject investigated we fail to observe any marked dissatisfaction on the part of that city over the final result.

There are new indications that Germany and England are drawing close together in interest and policy. The former is not delighted at the evident hold which Russia is getting in Persia, while both are injured by the new Persian tariff which exacts high duties on imports by sea, and low duties on land importations. Among the results of the situation it may be mentioned that the kaiser is showing a decided disposition to prevent any interference on the part of Russia and France in Egypt.

The Philadelphia Record says this and it's true: "The price of paper has increased so heavily within the past year as to seriously lessen the legitimate profits of publishers. This condition bears most heavily upon newspaper publishers, because they cannot readily make a proportionate advance in the price of their output. The leaders of all the political parties are of one accord in crying out against the extortions of trusts. It will be curious to observe when party representatives in congress shall be brought to a vote on the bill to repeal the duties on pulp and paper whether they will have the courage to practice what they preach."

Somewhere, somehow, probably in a dream or over the pipe, the story started that there was a movement among Indiana democrats to sidetrack William J. Bryan and start a boom for Richard Olney, secretary of state in the late Cleveland cabinet. The Chicago Times-Herald, which now and then accomplishes some weird things in the way of demonstrating by diagrams and figures that Mr. Bryan is dead, takes the story seriously and gets statements from democrats touching upon the reputed boom for Mr. Olney. The concensus of these statements does not augur great harm to Mr. Bryan. No one will dispute that Mr. Olney is a very able man nor that he is a very sturdy American. But he does not outclass Mr. Bryan in either particular. Mr. Olney was too pronounced in his cheering of the flag of revolt raised at Indianapolis in 1896 to be sure of getting all of the six and a half million votes cast for Mr. Bryan and the democratic presidential candidate will need most of those votes this year. When the Olney boom gets large enough to take care of itself without the attention of a republican chaperon, it will merit serious discussion.

PICK THE BEST.

In a few weeks the democrats of Allen county will assemble in this city to place in the field candidates for the county offices. It is a serious duty which will confront the convention. In the selection of candidates it has important obligations to fulfill to the public. The democratic party owes it to the people to guarantee the best and cleanest and most conscientious public service and this guarantee can be secured only by selecting the best men for the ticket.

The democratic party in this county ought to nominate a ticket to which it can invite the whole-hearted support of every voter in the county. Honest men of high character and unquestioned fitness whose repute in the community is such as to refute all partisan attack and aspersion will make such a ticket. Such men can be secured whenever the party resolves that merit and fitness both in character and capacity shall have superior claim to mere party machine service.

The time is past when any political party can boost any sort of men into candidacy for public office and expect the taxpayers to walk up and vote for them because "the party," pulled and hauled and manipulated in primaries and convention by wire-workers and log-rollers, has given perfunctory endorsement to whomsoever is named. The public is acquiring the practical and sensible habit of watching the public business and public servants. The public wants the public business managed on business principles. The public is coming to the point where it will not employ bad or incompetent men to manage its business. With so much good timber from which to make a ticket the democratic party in Allen county will be without excuse for not presenting candidates who will meet every requirement and test.

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NORTHERN INDIANA ITEMS

NEWS OF INTEREST OVER THE HOOSIER STATE.

Goshen, Ind., Feb. 9.—Nappanee, in this county, is the scene of a hard battle between the saloonmen and the temperance people. Many of the leading citizens have organized to rid the community of saloons, and their program is to take each applicant in turn and file a remonstrance. George McLaughlin was the first victim, and the board of county commissioners decided that when he published the notice of his intended application for license, and the notice was filed with the county auditor, it mattered not by whom, it served as an application and was subject to remonstrance. In this way the old practice of publishing notice after notice, and failing to appear when a sufficient remonstrance had been filed, was headed off. The decision by the commissioners barred McLaughlin from making another application for two years.

Frank Grant, the bartender of McLaughlin, is the latest applicant. Last week the temperance people filed a remonstrance against Grant, which was the bulkiest thing of the kind ever filed here. It contained over one hundred more names than required. Wednesday evening Grant's attorney had a subpoena issued for every man who signed the remonstrance, and they will be compelled to come here for examination under oath touching their signature.

The Nappanee people say that in the future remonstrances will be signed as freely as in the past, because it is the purpose to make the town a temperance one. Nappanee is a growing and prosperous town, and has many wealthy citizens. It is said that a college will be established there if the drinking places are abolished. Middlebury, of this county, adopted the same tactics as Nappanee, and has cleared the town of saloons.

SUFFERED A RELAPSE.

Laporte, Ind., Feb. 9.—Mrs. Mahlon Gause, wife of Rev. Mahlon Gause, of the Friends' church, at Stillwell, who passed from life to death and death to life, the transition revealing to her the realities of a life period, and who was reported as rapidly recovering, has suffered another relapse, and is again in an alarming condition, with but little hope of recovery. Mrs. Gause now prays daily for death, fully convinced by her transition that there is a future life. She wants the time to hasten when she can again experience its realities.

CONVENTION, MARCH 6.

South Bend, Ind., Feb. 9.—Elkhart, March 6, has been selected as the place and time for holding the next republican congressional convention. There is apparently no opposition to the renomination of Congressman Brick, ex-Congressman Royce, of Warsaw, declining to enter the race.

A CLAIM FOR $10,000.

Laporte, Ind., Feb. 9.—Harry Henderson will bring suit against the Michigan Central Railroad company, in the federal court, for $10,000 damages. Henderson suffered the loss of an arm near Michigan City by falling from a train. The complaint will allege negligence on the part of the company.

WIFE AND MOTHER WANTED.

Logansport, Ind., Feb. 9.—Mrs. J. W. Jones, wife of a farmer living near Camden, left home three weeks ago, saying that she was going away to accept a $3 a week position. She has not been heard from since, and as there are seven children in the family, her presence is desired at home. Her husband was here yesterday making search, but was unable to discover any clew as to her whereabouts. He describes her as being a "short, plump woman, thirty-three years of age, small hands, light brown hair, and a Roman nose, slightly bent to the left side of her face." Jones is a man about sixty years of age.

ASSAILED BY TRAMPS.

Butler, Ind., Feb. 9.—Herbert E. Freed, one of the prominent horsemen of Orwigsburg, Pa., was murderously assaulted last night on the Lake Shore road in this city by tramps. He was en route to Chicago. He lies in a very critical condition in this city and his recovery is doubtful. Detectives have arrested a suspect at Toledo.

EX-TREASURER SHORT.

Crawfordsville, Ind., Feb. 9.—The experts who have been examining the books of retiring County Treasurer William Johnson have not made their report to the county commissioners yet, but the commissioners have caused the following order to be entered upon the docket: "The books and records of the auditor and treasurer of Montgomery county show the sum of $9,196.32 as the amount due and coming from William Johnson, late treasurer of this county, which sum he has failed to account for and pay over to his successor. Unless the said sum is paid into the county treasury on or before Monday, February 19, 1900, suit on his bond will be ordered. It is further ordered that the auditor, as clerk of this board, cause the above notice to be given to William Johnson and his bondsmen."

Mr. Johnson's friends state that he will settle. He has credits for over $1,000, besides what the experts who are now at work on his books may find. The balance he will be able to meet without calling upon his bondsmen.

NORTHERN INDIANA NOTES.

The Laporte Sash and Door company, with a capital stock of $25,000, has just been formed.

Michael Hiner, aged 80 years, and John Beck, aged 79 years, two well known pioneers of Miami county, are dead.

Mrs. Myrtle Leatherman-Linvill, who was arrested at Elkhart on a charge of stealing silk from a store there, has been acquitted.

Owing to a serious accident to the engine in the power station of the Bluffton electric lighting system that city is and will be for some time in darkness.

Eli Fisher, formerly of Wabash county, under sentence of death at Lewiston, Mont., for complicity in the murder of two sheep-herders, has been granted a new trial.

All suspicion that William and John Newton were murdered at Portland has been allayed by the finding of about $300 in gold and silver coin in the ashes of the burned building. Notes and other valuable papers were incinerated. The coroner's verdict is expected in a day or two.

LAWTON AT REST.

(Continued From First Page.)

ble bronze, while, understanding us at last, our brown brothers, gazing upon that statue, stature, all in one, shall say 'He was America's; but he is ours, too—Lawton; he was slain by us ignorantly in unbelief; but he has forgiven.'"

TO THE CEMETERY.

The casket, lightened of part of its burden of flowers, was lifted to the shoulders of the troopers and borne down the aisle to the street, past the great crowd outside, when it was raised to the caisson waiting at the door. The waiting ranks of cavalry moved forward and closed about it as a guard of honor. Orders flung from rank to rank down the crowded avenue brought troop after troop and platoon after platoon wheeling into line.

Then with a rumble of wheels and clash of trace chains, field and siege batteries joined the procession and the hero of three wars moved on his last march to his final resting place on the Virginia hillside beyond the Potomac.

SMOKE SHELLS SUGGESTED.

The great loss of life incurred by the English troops is mainly attributable to the charges they have had to make across open spaces in order to dislodge the enemy from the sheltering kopje. In order to minimize the death roll it has been suggested that just before a charge takes place smoke shells should be fired, which would temporarily hide the English soldiers.—Chicago Times-Herald.

EXPERIMENT STATIONS.

Under the direction of the agricultural experiment stations thousands of simple co-operative experiments in which farmers take part are now annually carried on in different kinds of crops, such as wheat, grasses, sugar beets, vegetables and fruits, or in the testing of different kinds of fertilizers as applied to the soils and crops in different localities.—The Forum.

DOMESTICATED OSTRICHES.

Ostriches have only recently been domesticated in South Africa. Only eighty were in captivity in 1865; ten years later there were 21,751 being cared for in Cape Colony, and in 1897 237,960. The true wild bird still exists north of the Vaal and Orange river, but is eagerly hunted for its feathers, which command a higher price than those of the domesticated brethren.—Chicago Chronicle.

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SPONGING MADE EASY.

How the Amateur Dressmaker Can Handle Cloth, Fine Flannel, Etc.

One of the worst stumbling blocks in the path of the amateur dressmaker or, indeed, that of the professional often is the difficulty of properly shrinking certain materials before they are suitable to be fashioned into wearing apparel. In regard to this bugbear a Good Housekeeping correspondent gives some sensible suggestions, from which the following is learned:

This operation of shrinking, or sponging, as it is termed by tailors, is essential whenever broadcloths, ladies' cloths or fine flannels are employed in order to prevent future spotting, cockling or shrinking from rain or dampness. In the finer grade of cloths kept in stock by leading houses in large cities these goods are often sold warranted as steam sponged. Unless so guaranteed, however, the extra work should not be passed by. To many women the home management seems too risky to be undertaken, for the reason that much of the rich appearance of fine, handsome cloth could be easily injured by careless handling.

Supposing, however, that the amateur does not care to pay the tailor $2 or $3 or, what is far more probable, suppose that she is out of the reach of a "knight of the shears." Some friend will tell her that a damp cloth must be laid upon the goods and that then it should be pressed upon the wrong side. She views the billowy heap of six or eight yards (which she has unrolled to estimate the task) with dismay, for how can she ever dampen and press evenly all of that huge pile of cloth—for huge it looks to her anxious eyes? Surely, one part will dry long before the rest and the marks where the iron stopped will be unmistakable. She is satisfied that to undertake the work in so blundering and awkward a way would be worse than letting the fabric go unsponged.

Then the next time she asks for advice it is from some one who knows, for the first instructor was merely a theorist and had never put into practice that which she preached. This time our amateur goes to work with a better heart and first carefully dampens a large sheet and neatly folds the cloth therein, wrapping the bundle smoothly with a blanket to keep the dampness even. This answers better perhaps, but why not put brains to work and try to improve upon even this makeshift way?

Have you never thought, when you have seen Bridget taking the half dried wash from the clothesline on "blue Monday," that perhaps you might borrow a suggestion from her work? Then, again, are not clothes left out upon the line overnight thoroughly and evenly dampened by morning? What, pray, is there to prevent taking your full length of new cloth out to this same clothesline some night after darkness sets, when the air is damp, but no rain threatens, and allowing it to remain hanging therefrom, securely fastened with clothespins, until the following morning?

The following morning the sun will at an early hour place the cloth in exactly the proper state for easy pressing, for the material may be brought into the house when at any desired state of dampness or dryness. Then, by keeping the unpressed portion smoothly folded, so that it will remain as damp as is required, the cloth may be ironed quickly and easily and without flurry or nervous strain. Try it and avoid the tailor's bill.

How to Clean Oilcloth.

The best way of keeping this in order is to have it regularly rubbed up with beeswax and turpentine or with any good furniture polish at stated intervals, according to the amount of wear it receives. It should be daily dusted and if necessary wiped over with a damp cloth and then well dried, but never scrubbed or soused with water. Both these processes are absolutely destructive. An occasional rub over with skim or sour milk adds immensely to its polish and hence to the saving of scratches.

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A FRANCHISE IS SUBMITTED

CHAIRMAN EGGEMANN SAYS WILL BE NEW CONDITIONS.

The Fort Wayne Traction company made application to the board of public works last evening for several important extensions of the present system. The company asks the privilege of building a double track on Main street from Calhoun to Lindenwood cemetery, with the exception of the St. Mary's river bridge and its approaches; also a single track on Clinton street from Main to Columbia; also a double track on Columbia from Clinton to Calhoun; also a single track on Clinton street from Lewis to Chestnut and west on Chestnut to the car barns; also a single track on Holman street from Clinton to the site of the proposed new car barn. The following is the proposed franchise as presented to the board by the company:

"Articles of agreement entered into by and between the board of public works of the city of Fort Wayne, Indiana, and the Fort Wayne Traction company, for and on behalf of itself, its successors and assigns.

"Witnesseth, That in consideration of the mutual covenants and agreements, hereinafter contained, it is hereby agreed by and between said board of public works of the city of Fort Wayne, Indiana, and the Fort Wayne Traction company, for and on behalf of itself, its successors and assigns, as follows:

"Section 1. Consent, permission and authority are hereby vested and granted by the said board of public works of the city of Fort Wayne to the Fort Wayne Traction company, its successors and assigns, to lay, construct, maintain and operate a double track street railroad on Main street in said city, from the east line of Calhoun street to a point one hundred (100) feet from the east end of the bridge across St. Mary's river, and also from a point one hundred (100) feet from the west end of said bridge to the terminus of said company's line at Lindenwood cemetery; also a single track street railroad on Clinton street from the south line of Main street to the north line of Columbia street with the necessary curve at the intersection of Clinton and Columbia streets and an additional track on Columbia street from the east line of said Clinton street to the center of Calhoun street, connecting at said Calhoun street with the double track and curves now owned and operated thereon by said Fort Wayne Traction company; also a single track street railroad on Clinton street, connecting with the said company's present tracks thereon at the intersection of Clinton and Lewis streets, and thence on Clinton street to Chestnut street, and thence west on Chestnut street, connecting with the tracks of said company on said Chestnut street; also a single track on Holman street, connecting with the track on Clinton street and running thence to the west line of the property of the Fort Wayne Traction company, to-wit: Lot 65, Hamilton's second addition to the city of Fort Wayne, with the right to connect the same to the curved tracks running into said company's car house at said point, together with the necessary poles, wires, and appliances for said several tracks.

"Sec. 2. The said company, for itself, its successors and assigns, hereby agrees that it will lay and construct said double track street railroad on Main street as far west as Broadway immediately after the passage of the ordinance approving this contract, and to lay and construct the remaining portion from Broadway west at such time or times as the said street, or any portion thereof, may be repaved; or it may be constructed at the option of said Traction company at any time after said double track is laid to Broadway.

"Sec. 3. Said company, for itself, its successors and assigns, shall pave, maintain and keep in repair all that portion of said tracks on said several streets, lying between the outer rails of said double tracks including that part of the streets lying between the inner rails of said tracks, at the same time, and from time to time, as the balance of said street is paved and with such material as the board of public works shall order; but such material or kind of pavement shall not be more expensive than that with which the remainder of the street is paved.

"Sec. 4. Said company, for itself, its successors and assigns, hereby further agrees to pave and keep in repair all that part of its track or tracks now constructed or operated upon any street or streets within the limits of said city of Fort Wayne, when and wherever the property owners or the city may pave the balance of the street not occupied by the track or tracks of said Traction company, and with such material or kind of pavement as the board of public works of said city shall order and direct. But such pavement and material shall not be of a more expensive kind than that used for the balance of said pavement of said streets; provided, however, that in the paving of said portions of said several streets in this agreement named, or any street occupied by said street railroad and hereafter paved, there shall be laid next the inner and outer sides of each of said rails granite blocks, of suitable size and dimensions, to the satisfaction of said board of public works, unless the street be paved with bricks, in which event it shall be optional with the board of public works as to whether granite blocks or bricks shall be so used.

"Sec. 5. Said company, its successors and assigns, shall not be required to pave any other portions of said streets; but after said portions of said streets are paved, it and they shall be required to and shall maintain and keep in repair, in addition to the surface of said streets herein provided for to be paved, two strips of ground each twelve (12) inches in width, lying contiguous to the outside edge of the outer rails of said tracks.

"Sec. 6. This agreement, and the rights and privileges hereby granted to the said Fort Wayne Traction company, its successors and assigns, is made subject to the provisions, restrictions and requirements of all the ordinances heretofore granted to the Fort Wayne Electric Railway company, the Fort Wayne Consolidated Railway company, or to any and every predecessor except as herein modified and changed."

Chairman Eggemann stated that there would be additional conditions inserted in the franchise before it would be granted by the board and on motion the document was referred to City Attorney Shambaugh.

OTHER BUSINESS.

The board of works instructed City Engineer Randall to prepare a plat for opening Harrison street, from Brooklyn avenue to Grand street, across the tracks of the Pennsylvania and Wabash railways. After the street has been legally declared open the board may proceed with the construction of a tunnel and there can be no interruption of the work by injunction. The companies can also be compelled to pay part of the cost of construction.

The engineer was also ordered to prepare plans for the widening of Begue street, from Liberty to the alley south, and for widening Fulton street, from Jefferson to Brackenridge streets.

A resolution for the construction of sidewalks on John street, from McKee to Pontiac streets, was laid over until April 5.

Councilman Zurbuch, of the Fifth ward, urged the board to construct a sewer in the alley between Elm and Huron streets, from Mechanic street to the St. Mary's river. The board had decided some time ago to construct the sewer, but certain property holders objected.

HELD A CONFERENCE.

The members of the board of works and City Attorney Shambaugh held a short conference this morning in the office of the board of safety. Several matters were discussed, among them being the exact status of the fire limits. The members of the board were in doubt as to the meaning of the ordinance which fixed fire limits "to the tracks" of a railway. The city attorney holds that tracks means the main track and not side tracks. The city expects to be soon involved in a suit in which this question will come up.

John D. Olds, one of the promoters of the Indiana and Ohio Traction company, is preparing a petition, which he will submit to the board of works this afternoon. The company has decided to avoid all possible litigation and will therefore probably not ask for a franchise over the Columbia street bridge, although it is still contended that they have a right to its use. The route petitioned for will probably be that along the New Haven road connecting with Hayden street to Clay, on Clay to Berry and thence west on Harrison, south to Pearl and west. The board will undoubtedly grant this petition if the interurban company will come to a satisfactory agreement as to recompense.

NEW ORDINANCES.

City Attorney Shambaugh has prepared two new ordinances, which will be introduced at the next meeting of the council. One prohibits the obstruction of public streets and will prevent persons from standing on the sidewalks and soliciting persons to purchase goods. The other ordinance relates to nuisances and will prevent the building of pens and yards for the keeping of sheep, cattle and hogs in the city limits, or the building of distilleries, slaughter houses or tanneries or the rendering of lard, tallow, etc., in the city limits without a permit.

MUNICIPAL NOTES.

The committee on finance has decided to report favorably on the petition of the heirs of J. Boschet for a refunder of part of his liquor license. The committee also continued its examination of Comptroller Berghoff's annual report, but did not complete the work.

The special committee appointed to revise the council rules discussed some changes and referred the matter to City Attorney Shambaugh.

The city council will meet in regular session next Tuesday evening.

THE MARKETS.

Chicago, Feb. 9.—Some recently purchased wheat was for sale on the board of trade early today, the incentive being lower cables and liberal northwest receipts. Trade was quiet. May opened a shade up at 68⅛@68⅜c, sold off to 68¼c, reacted to 68½c and again declined to 68¼c. Receipts here were 38 cars, none of contract grade. Minneapolis and Duluth reported 411 cars, against 311 last week and 275 a year ago.

The market later rose to 68½c, but failed to hold, closing weak, May ⅜@½c under yesterday at 68@68⅛c.

The corn market was easy early with wheat and on lower cables, May opening a shade down at 33⅜@33¾c. Country offerings were light and receipts here 676 cars, under the estimate, which, combined with the good cash business done yesterday, were supporting influences which steadied the market. Trade was small.

Corn closed steady; May a shade lower at 33⅝@33⅜c.

May oats opened unchanged at 23⅝c and touched 23½c, where the market steadied. Local receipts were 267 cars.

The porvisions market opened firm on receipts of hogs under the estimate and better prices at the yards, but declined on profit-taking. May pork opened unchanged at $11.20 and declined to $11.17½; May lard 2½c up at $6.17½@6.20 and sold off to $6.12½, and May ribs a shade improved at $6.10@6.12½, easing off to $6.02½.

THE CLOSE.

Prices at the close were as follows:

Wheat—Feb., 68⅛c; May, 68@68⅛c; July, 68⅝c; Sept., 69⅛c.

Corn—Feb., 31⅝c; May, 33⅞@33¾c; July, 34⅛@34⅝c.

Oats—Feb., 22¼c; May, 23⅜@23½c; July, 22⅞c.

Pork—Feb., $10.95; May, $11.10; July, $11.15

Lard—Feb., $6.00; May, $6.12½; July, $6.20.

Ribs—Feb., $6.00; May, $6.05; July, $6.07½.

Flax—Cash N. W., $1.60; Cash S. W., $1.60; May, $1.60; Sept., $1.19; Oct., $1.17.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, Feb. 9.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,000; market firm; Texans strong; cows and canners steady.

Beeves, $4.00@6.10; cows, $3.00@4.50; heifers, $3.25@4.80; canners, $2.10@2.80; stockers and feeders, $3.30; Texas fed beeves, $4.00@5.10.

Hogs—Receipts today, 21,000; tomorrow, 25,000; left over, 4,043. Market active and strong, 10@15c higher than yesterday's prices. Mixed and butchers, $4.75@5.10; good to choice heavy, $4.80@5.10; rough heavy, $4.75@4.85; light, $4.70@5.00; bulk of sales, $4.90@5.00.

THE DAY ON WALL STREET.

New York, Feb. 9.—Opening prices on the stock market were mainly slightly under last night's close despite the sharp improvement in London prices for Americans. Weakness was most manifest in Sugar and Brooklyn Transit, which lost about 2 point.

Specialties generally were strengthened by a rise of 1½ in Third Avenue. The good effect produced by this was soon counteracted by 2 point declines in Tennessee Coal and Western Union. Other specialties reacted sharply, with Sugar, Metropolitan Street Railway and Third Avenue prominent. Some of the usually active stocks were heavily traded in at rising prices, Erie first preferred rising 1⅜ and Colorado Midland preferred 2 points.

Realization orders came out in large volume and there was considerable short selling, which sent the market down from 1 to 2 points. The largest declines were effected in the high-priced specialties.

Bonds were dull and slightly irregular.

NEW YORK PRODUCE.

New York, Feb. 9.—Butter—Receipts, 3,220 pkgs; market steady, June creamery, 19@23½c; western creamery, 21@28c; factory, 16@19c

Cherse—Receipts, 1,901 pkgs; market steady; fall made fancy large, 12¾@13c; fall made fancy small, 12¾@13c; choice grades, 11¾@12¾c.

Eggs—Receipts, 9,618 pkgs; western, 16½c, loss off; western ungraded at mark, 14@16c.

Sugar—Raw, strong; refined, firm.

Coffee—Market firm; No. 7 Rio, 8⅞c.

THE MONEY MARKET.

New York, Feb. 9.—Money on call nominally at 2½ per cent; prime mercantile paper, 4@5 per cent; sterling exchange steady with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.87¼@4.87½ for demand and at $4.84¼@4.84½ for 60 days; posted rates, $4.85 and $4.88½; commercial bills, $4.83¼@4.84; silver certificates, 59¾@61c; bar silver, 59¾c; Mexican dollars, 47¾c.

THE BOND MARKET.

New York, Feb. 9.—Government bonds steady:

U. S. 2s registered	102½
U. S. 3s registered	109⅜
U. S. 3s coupon	109⅜
U. S. 4s registered (new)	134
U. S. 4s coupon (new)	134
U. S. 4s registered (old)	114⅞
U. S. 4s coupon (old)	114⅞
U. S. 5s registered	112¾
U. S. 5s coupon	112¾

HELD SHORT SESSIONS.

Washington, Feb. 9.—Both branches of congress held short sessions today, many members desiring to attend the funeral of General Lawton. The financial bill was laid before the senate for discussion, but those who desired to speak upon it were absent temporarily, and at 1:05, no senator having indicated a desire to discuss the measure, the senate adjourned.

The house at 1:20 recessed until 8 o'clock this evening. A motion was passed that when the house adjourn today it be until Monday next.

An old-fashioned costume surprise party was tendered Fred Shafer, on Erie street, Tuesday evening, in honor of his birthday anniversary. Games, music and merry-making occupied the evening, and about midnight a dainty luncheon was served

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Canton and Pittsburg		* 4 10 pm
Valparaiso and Chicago	† 7 30 am	†12 35 pm
Valparaiso and Chicago	†12 15 pm	†10 55 pm
Crestline and Pittsburg	†12 45 pm	* 8 35 am
Plymouth and Chicago	* 4 15 pm	
Lima and Crestline	† 8 30 am	† 7 15 pm
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9-7-19-99

All trains arrive at and depart from Van Buren Street Union Passenger Station, Chicago.

Uniformed Colored Porters attend first and second class day coaches on these thru trains, insuring scrupulously clean cars enroute.

All Nickel Plate Passenger Trains Daily.

EASTBOUND FROM FT. WAYNE.	DEPART
Standard Express, No. 6	2 05
Nickel Plate Express, No. 2	3 00
Eastern Express, No. 4	8 55
Local Freight	17 25
WESTBOUND FROM FT. WAYNE.	DEPART
Standard Express, No. 5	2 05
Western Express, No. 1	11 15
Nickel Plate Express, No. 3	4 35
Local Freight	17 00

†Daily except Sunday. Ticket Office, 56 Clay St. Dark type P. M.

Thru Drawing Room Sleeping Cars on Nos. 2, 4 and 6 to Cleveland, Erie, Buffalo, New York and Boston; on Nos. 1, 3 and 5 to Chicago.

Meals are served at "up-to-date" Dining Stations and in Nickel Plate Dining Cars at opportune meal hours.

THE FINDLAY, FT. WAYNE & WESTERN RAILWAY.

Effective Dec., 4th, 1899.

EAST BOUND.

Lv. Fort Wayne 7 05 a.m. arr. Findlay 9 50 a.m
arr. Toledo (via C. H. D.) 10 40 a.m
arr. Cincinnati (via. C. H. D.) 4 55 p.m
arr. Columbus (via. T. & O. C.) 2 05 p.m

WEST BOUND.

" " 1 20 p.m. arr. Fort Wayne 4 00 p.m
" " Columbus (via. T. & O. C.) arr Ft. W 4 00 p.m

All trains daily except Sunday.

Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Railway—Fort Wayne Branch.

SOUTHWARD.	ARRIVE
No. 487 Way Freight	2 50 p.m
No. 456 City Express and Mail	10 50 a.m
No. 410 Detroit and Ind'pls Express	3 50 p.m
NORTHWARD.	DEPART
No. 482 Way Freight	8 05 a.m
No. 455 Through Express & Mail	11 45 a.m
No. 409 Detroit and Ind'pls Express	4 40 p.m

L. E. & W. TIME TABLE.

SOUTH.	
No. 41 leaves (except Sunday)	7 10 a.m
No. 43 daily	4 15 p.m
No. 171 Local Freight	5 30 a.m
NORTH.	
No. 40 arrives daily	11 40 a.m
No. 42 (daily except Sunday)	10 25 p.m
No. 170 Local Freight	4 40 p.m

YOUR CHOICE SATURDAY

OF 1,000 HIGHEST GRADE SUITS AND OVERCOATS FOR $10.

$10

If you don't know great values when you see them, bring some one with you who does and you'll secure the greatest clothing bargain ever offered in this city. There isn't a garment in the lot worth less than $16, and most of them are worth $20. They were made by the most celebrated wholesale tailors in America, and we bought them before the advance in woolens took effect. Pick out any suit or overcoat in the lot Saturday for

THE BELL, 18 CALHOUN STREET.

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UNITED STATES COURT!

Men's Suits.

A FINE, FULL LINE OF MEN'S SUITS, IN NEAT STRONG ALL-WOOL CLOTHS AND FAST COLORS, IN CLAYS, CHEVIOTS, SCOTCHS, WORSTED AND SERGES.

Regular price..	$20.00, now.. $13.48	Regular price..	$10.00, now... $5.99
Regular price..	18.00, now.. 12.37	Regular price..	8.00, now... 5.37
Regular price..	16.00, now.. 10.76	Regular price..	7.50, now... 4.92
Regular price..	15.00, now.. 9.99	Regular price..	7.00, now... 4.28
Regular price..	13.50, now.. 8.85	Regular price..	6.00, now... 3.99
Regular price..	12.00, now.. 7.99	Regular price..	5.00, now... 3.86
Regular price..	12.00, now.. 7.99		

Youth's Suits.

A YOUTH'S SUIT IN LONG PANTS WITH COAT AND VEST SUIT, FROM 14 YEARS TO 19 YEARS. LARGE SIZES FIT SMALL SIZED MEN.

Regular price..	$13.50, now... $8.01	Regular price...	$7.50, now... $4.46
Regular price..	12.00, now... 7.14	Regular price...	7.00, now... 4.01
Regular price..	10.00, now... 5.87	Regular price...	6.50, now... 3.99
Regular price..	9.00, now... 5.39	Regular price...	6.00, now... 3.44
Regular price..	8.50, now... 5.01	Regular price...	5.00, now... 3.17
		Regular price...	4.50, now... 3.01

Caps.

Any 50c cap in our house, 19c. Any 25c cap in our house, 9c.

Collars.

Any linen collar or box of paper collars in our house, 5c.

Duck Coats.

Any duck coat in our house regardless of price or quality, 77c.

Mufflers.

We have but a few left, some worth $2.00—none less than 35c—17c.

SMOKING JACKETS—All $8.00, $8.50, $9.00 and $10.00 grades...$3.99

All others ranging in price from $5.00 to $7.50.....$2.01

Laundered Shirts.

$1.00 and $1.50 laundered colored shirts, sizes 14, 14½, 16, 16½, 17, now 59c.

50c laundered colored shirts, 14, 14½, 16, 16½, 17, 17½, now 32c.

$1.00 laundered white shirts, 14, 14½, 16, 16½, 17, 17½, now 59c.

50c boys' white and colored shirts now 32c.

75c men's fancy white laundered shirts, 32c.

Negligee Shirts.

75c soft shirts, sizes 14, 14½, 16, 16½, 17, 17½, collars and cuffs attached, 32c.

$1.00 and $2.00 soft shirts, sizes 14, 14½, 16, 16½, 17, 17½, now 69c.

$1.50 and $2.00 soft silk and wool shirts, best quality, 66c.

50c laundered shirts, double reinforced back, four-ply bosom, 29c.

UNION UNDERWEAR—$2.00, $2.50, $3.00, $3.50, all wool, union underwear, now $1.01. $1.50 and $1.25 fine cotton grades, 69c.

Men's Overcoats & Ulsters.

Regular price..	$18.00, now.. $13.31	Regular price..	$10.00, now.. $ 5.89
Regular price..	16.50, now.. 10.76	Regular price .	9.00, now.. 5.27
Regular price..	16.00, now.. 10.31	Regular price..	8.00, now.. 5.01
Regular price..	15.00, now.. 9.99	Regular price..	7.00, now.. 4.24
Regular price..	13.50, now.. 8.45	Regular price..	6.00, now.. 3.99
Regular price..	12.00, now.. 7.91	Regular price..	5.00, now.. 3.22

HATS—Any hat in the house ranging in price from $1.00 to $3.50, your choice of any at 96c.

FLANNEL SHIRTS—Fine flannel shirts ranging in price from $1.50 to $3.00. Very best grades, 93c.

Socks.

10c socks, now 6c.
15c socks, now 9c.
25c socks, now 14c.
35c socks, now 19c.

Crash Suits.

Any crash suit in the house, regular $4.00, $5.00, $6.00 suits, now any at $1.37.

Alpaca Coats.

Any Alpaca coat in black and colors, grades $3.50 to $5.00, now $1.37.

OUR entire stock was tied up for many months at our Muncie, Indiana store. These goods are again in our possession, and we have concluded to move them to Fort Wayne to give our old friends and patrons an opportunity to buy

Merchandise for less than Goods were ever offered before.

Our sale here last spring will give you an idea of how low you can purchase goods of us, for you know you bought goods for fully a third less than ever before. But now we will do even better. We have fully

$20,000 Worth of Merchandise

Which we must close out immediately to pay our out-standing indebtedness. These

Will be sold at 33 per cent. below cost.

In our 30 years of business in Fort Wayne we have never broken faith with the public. We ask you to read this carefully and bring it along for comparison.

Sale Opens Saturday, Feb. 10, 9 a. m.

And will continue until all goods are sold. POSITIVELY NO CREDIT GIVEN TO ANYONE, OR NO GOODS ON APPROVAL. WE HAVE RENTED THE

Graffe Building

Cor Calhoun and Columbia Streets, where we will be pleased to see you.

Children's Suits.

IN FINE, ELEGANT GOODS; BEST MAKES AND LININGS AND TRIMMINGS; MADE FOR THE VERY BEST SERVICE AND WEAR.

Regular price...	$7.00, now... $3.99	Regular price...	$4.00, now... $2.51
Regular price...	6.50, now... 3.81	Regular price...	3.50, now... 2.13
Regular price...	6.00, now... 3.74	Regular price...	3.00, now... 1.91
Regular price...	5.50, now... 3.21	Regular price...	2.50, now... 1.24
Regular price...	5.00, now... 3.06	Regular price...	2.00, now... 1.03
Regular price...	4.50, now... 2.88	Regular price...	1.50, now... .86
		Regular price...	1.00, now... .53

Children's Overcoats.

IN ALL KINDS OF CLOTHS, CHINCHILLA, KERSEYS, WORSTEDS, TWEEDS, COVERT CLOTHS.

Regular price...	$7.00, now... $3.40	Regular price...	$4.50, now... $2.32
Regular price...	6.50, now... 3.22	Regular price...	4.00, now... 2.01
Regular price...	6.00, now... 3.01	Regular price...	3.50, now... 1.74
Regular price...	5.50, now... 2.70	Regular price...	3.00, now... 1.47
Regular price...	5.00, now... 2.44	Regular price...	2.50, now... 1.16

Ties.

Regular 50c ties in tecks, puffs and four-in-hand in all the nobblest styles, 31c. 25c ties now 17c.

Sup'nd'rs

Regular 50 suspenders, 32c. Regular 25c grade, 19c. 15c grade, 9c. 10c grade, 6c.

Baber Coats.

In large sizes only, regular $1 and $1.50 grade, best makes, 52c.

Overalls.

Any in the house, blue, black or white, also jackets in blue, check white, 33c.

MACKINTOSHES—All $12.00, $10.00, $9.00 and $8.00 grades, guaranteed first-class, $4.39.

All others ranging in price from $4.00 to $7.50, inclusive, first-class goods, $2.38.

Underwear.

$1.50 fine, all-wool underwear, in tan, natural wool, blue, brown, now 96c.

$1.00 fine, all-wool in natural wool, brown, Egyptian, knit or fleece lined, 74c.

50c heavy underwear, 36c.
50c light-weight underwear, 34c.
25c light-weight underwear, 17c.
25c heavy-weight underwear, 17c.

Gloves and Mitts.

25c wool gloves or mittens, 16c.
25c leather gloves or mittens, 17c.
50c wool gloves or mittens, 36c.
50c leather gloves or mittens, 37c.
10c boys mittens, 6c.
75c men's gloves or mittens, 48c.
$1.00 men's gloves or mittens, 68c.
$1.50 men's fine kid gloves, only a few sizes left, 77c.
$1.00 men's fine gloves, only a few sizes left, 55c.

BELTS—Fine 50c and 75c Hewes & Potted best belts, double lined, 27c.

25c belts, of all kinds and makes, leather and cloths, 11c.

Men's Pants.

Regular price...	$6.00, now... $3.99	Regular price...	$3.00, now... $1.91
Regular price...	5.00, now... 3.21	Regular price...	2.50, now... 1.47
Regular price...	4.50, now... 2.99	Regular price...	2.00, now... 1.24
Regular price...	4.00, now... 2.37	Regular price...	1.50, now... .99
Regular price...	3.50, now... 2.01	Regular price...	1.00, now... .62

Handkerchiefs.

5c grades in all kinds now 2c.
10c grades in all kinds now 6c.
15c grades in all kinds now 9c.
25c grades in all kinds now 13c.

Men's Reefer Coats.

$6.00, $9.00 and $10.00 coats now $4.14.

$5.00, $6.00 and $7.00 coats now $2.99.

Bicycle Clothes.

Bicycle coats, old price $3.50 and $4.00, now $1.01. $1.50 bicycle pants, 54c. Hose, 22c.

Odd Vests.

$2.50 grade, now at $1.24.
$2.00 grade, now at $1.01.
$1.50 grade, now at 73c.
$1.00 grade, now at 54c.
75c grade now at 37c.

Jewelry.

Arm bands, 10c grade 3c. Odds and ends in all kinds at greatly reduced rates.

GOING OUT OF BUSINESS!

That is what we will be doing as fast as we can sell our stock. NOTHING WILL BE REPLACED, so come early and get the pick.

Friend's Clothing Store,

GRAFFE BUILDING,

CORNER CALHOUN AND COLUMBIA STREETS.

Sacrificed to Blood Poison.

Those who have never had Blood Poison can not know what a desperate condition it can produce. This terrible disease which the doctors are totally unable to cure, is communicated from one generation to another, inflicting its taint upon countless innocent ones.

Some years ago I was inoculated with poison by a nurse who infected my babe with blood taint. The little one was unequal to the struggle, and its life was yielded up to the fearful poison. For six long years I suffered untold misery. I was covered with sores and ulcers from head to foot, and no language can express my feelings of woe during those long years. I had the best medical treatment. Several physicians successively treated me, but all to no purpose. The mercury and potash seemed to add fuel to the awful flame which was devouring me. I was advised by friends who had seen wonderful cures made by it, to try Swift's Specific. We got two bottles, and I felt hope again revive in my breast—hope for health and happiness again. I improved from the start, and a complete and perfect cure was the result. S. S. S. is the only blood remedy which reaches desperate cases. MRS. T. W. LEE, Montgomery, Ala.

Of the many blood remedies, S. S. S. is the only one which can reach deep-seated, violent cases. It never fails to cure perfectly and permanently the most desperate cases which are beyond the reach of other remedies.

S.S.S. For The Blood

is PURELY VEGETABLE, and is the only blood remedy guaranteed to contain no mercury, potash, or other mineral.

Valuable books mailed free by Swift Specific Company, Atlanta, Georgia.

The Modern!

Is now open at No. 140 Calhoun St., showing a full line of Clothing, Boots, Shoes and Millinery. Just think, Knee Pants, 10c and up; Knee Suits, 50c and up; Men's Pants, 45c and up; Boys' Long Suits, $2.25 and up; Ladies' Fine Kid Shoes, 75c and up; Men's Dress Shoes, 95c and up.

Millinery at almost your own price.

If in need of anything, please call at 140 Calhoun St.

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Chartered 1867. Capital stock $100,000.00.

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Local and Climatic CATARRH

Nothing but a local remedy or a change of climate will cure

Catarrh.

The Specific is

Ely's Cream Balm.

It is quickly absorbed. Gives Relief at once. Opens and cleanses the Nasal Passages. Allays Inflammation. Heals and Protects the Membrane. Restores the Senses of Taste and Smell. **COLD IN HEAD** No Mercury, No injurious drug. Regular size, 50 cents; Family Size, $1.00 at Druggists or by mail.

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Beautiful Complexions

Come from pure, untainted blood. No complexion can be muddy, mottled or sallow if the blood is pure; no complexion can be clear of blemishes if the blood is not pure. More than this; disease cannot exist in a body supplied with pure blood. This is the secret of the success of Celery King. It makes pure blood.

Celery King cures Constipation, and Nerve, Stomach, Liver and Kidney diseases. 3

Cuticura SOAP

For Sanative Uses.

Its remarkable, emollient, cleansing, and purifying properties, derived from CUTICURA, the great skin cure, warrant the use of CUTICURA SOAP, in the humoral treatment for anoying irritations, inflammations, and chafings, for too frequent bathing, for offensive perspiration, and also in the form of antiseptic washes, and soothing prophylactic washes, and for many sanative, antiseptic purposes which readily suggest themselves to women, and especially to mothers. The use of CUTICURA Ointment with CUTICURA SOAP will suggest itself in the severer cases.

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SHORT OF POWER.

EASTERN DIVISION OF WABASH BORROWS ENGINES.

ANNOYING BLOCKADE LIFTED

RECENT THAW RELIEVES THE FERRY BOAT TROUBLES.

MR. TIGAR HAS NEW CLERK

A. J. STRICKER SUCCEEDS LOUIS FINAN.

The eastern division of the Wabash, and particularly the Detroit branch of the system, is in the midst of a very heavy freight business, which the regular power of the line is unable to handle. Engines are now being sent there from the middle division, where the business is not quite so heavy, Four were transferred yesterday, and, if necessary, more will be transferred. The immense quantities of ice in the Detroit river has greatly interferred with the Wabash's ferry boats and on this account much of the freight that is now moving eastward was held back several days. The recent war spell relensed the ice and the warm spell relensed the ice and the edly.

LOST A FINGER.

Paul Baumann, a lad about 15 years of age, residing at No. 21 Michnel's avenue and employed by the Fort Wayne Box company, got his left hand caught in a machine this morning. The end of the ring finger was cut almost entirely off. Dr. G. C. Stemen dressed the injury.

TAKES A VACATION.

Theodore Dobler, chief clerk for Round House Foreman P. J. Scheid, at the Pittsburg, has been ailing for several weeks, though at work most of the time. This morning he applied for and secured an indefinite leave of absence from the office, and will endeavor to regain his health. He will probably spend a few weeks in the country with relatives and may make a trip to Wisconsin. At any rate, it is his intention to remain away from the office until his health is greatly improved over the condition that prevails at present. Mr. Ropa, who was recently transferred from the boiler shop office to the round house office, will perform Mr. Dobler's duties during the absence of that gentleman.

CHANGE OF CLERK.

A. J. Stricker assumed the office of clerk to Chief Dispatcher W. H. Tigar, of the Pittsburg, this morning. He was formerly employed at Van Wert, Ohio, as telegraph operator for the company and has had an experience which will greatly aid him in the duties he now assumes. Mr. Finan, the former clerk, is to be promoted and now has under consideration several offers, either one of which is accompanied by a larger salary than the clerical position affords. He will visit his father at Monroeville a few days, in the meantime deciding upon the position he will accept.

A REMARKABLE CAREER.

Col. Alba Mark Tucker, who died in a sanitarium in Flint, Mich., last Wednesday, had a remarkable railway career and was one of the best known citizens in Northern Indiana at one time. He will be buried in Elkhart Sunday. Mr. Tucker was only fourteen years old when he entered railway service. After serving as ticket and freight agent at Tecumseh, Mich., the Lake Shore transferred him to Elkhart and made him agent at that point, he being then eighteen years old. When war broke out he enlisted as private in the 100th Indiana regiment and was soon made regimental quartermaster and later became post quartermaster and commissary at Indianapolis. In 1863 he became acting assistant quartermaster at Memphis, and was transferred to Louisville in October of the same year, being at one period of the war disbursing quartermaster at that city. He was auditor of Elkhart county in 1867-75, and subsequently mayor and then postmaster of Elkhart. He was assistant superintendent of the Michigan division of the Lake Shore from 1878 to 1885, superintendent of the western division of the New York, Pennsylvania and Ohio from 1885 to 1887, superintendent of the Mahoning devision of the same road in 1888, general superintendent of the Chicago and Erie in 1891, general manager of the New York, Pennsylvania and Ohio and the Chicago and Erie from 1891 to 1895. He was also a director of the Chicago and Erie, the Chicago and Western Indiana and the Belt railway of Chicago, and general agent of the Erie at Cleveland, which was the last office he held, illness compelling his retirement in 1895. He left three daughters.

TELEGRAPHERS MOLLIFIED.

President W. V. Powell, of the Order of Railway Telegraphers, has returned to Atlanta from Washington, where he went last week to confer with General Manager Gannon and General Superintendent Barrett, of the Southern Railway, regarding the threatened trouble between the telegraphers and the Southern Railway company. An agreement was made under which it is expected there will be a harmonious settlement. Telegraphers will have the right to place their grievances through a division committee before the division superintendent, from whom they may appeal if dissatisfied. The company insisted on treating only with its employees and telegraphers serving on committees will not be discriminated against by reason thereof.

CHANGE OF HEADQUARTERS.

The Midland Railway company yesterday removed its offices from Anderson to Muncie and they are temporarily located in the new shops and roundhouse buildings. Included in the removal are also the offices of Vice President Harry Crawford and Superintendent Moore, which will be located in the Johnson block, one of Muncie's best buildings. Work on the terminals at Muncie is nearing completion and within a few more weeks freight train service will be extended from Anderson to Muncie on the new extension, and then through service will be from Muncie to Brazil.

INDUSTRIAL NOTES.

F. W. Ropa, machinist at the Wabash shops, is sick and off duty.

Warren Carpenter, fireman at the electric works, is confined to his home by sickness.

Pittsburg Fireman J. M. Brown has taken a lay off to attend to some private business.

Blacksmith James Roche, of the Pittsburg, who had been on the sick list, is at work again.

John MacKinzie, superintendent of motive power of the Nickel Plate, spent the afternoon here yesterday.

Brakemen W. C. Reffelt, W. Green and E. M. Young, of the Nickel Plate, are taking a few days' lay off.

Brakeman C. Warrenberg, of the Nickel Plate, who was visiting friends in Chicago, resumed work yesterday.

J. Kensill, watchman at the Pittsburg planing mills, has recovered from his recent illness and resumed his duties.

Nickel Plate Fireman H. Smith has gone to visit his folks, who live eighteen miles out from Hibbard, in the country.

In January the Central Passenger association sold 16,684 interchangeable mileage books, against 13,494 in January, 1899.

Pittsburg Engineer J. Mooney, who had been at Chicago to attend the funeral of a relative, resumed his duties at the throttle today.

Presley Wharton, one of the oldest employes in time of service on the Panhandle, died at Columbus on Tuesday, aged seventy years.

Nickel Plate Conductor R. A. Meyers, who had been off duty to attend to some business matters at Bellevue, resumed work yesterday.

John Kretsinger, foreman of the Pittsburg planing mills, is suffering from a severe cold and was unable to get down to the shop this morning.

Frank J. Burns, assistant roundhouse foreman, and D. H. Wright, the turn table attendant, have resumed work. Both were sick about a week.

Conductor David Waterson, who was off duty on account of sickness of some member of his family, resumed his work on the Nickel Plate yesterday.

Nickel Plate Brakeman J. H. Staley was taken sick at Stony Island yesterday and another man had to go there to fill the vacancy in the train crew.

Samuel Rockwell, principal assistant engineer on the Lake Shore road, was in 1864 a flagman at one of the company's crossings. He is now fifty-two years of age.

William Owens, who has been running the Black Diamond express on the Lehigh Valley road, has been appointed traveling expert for the New York Air-Brake company.

Arthur Hadley has returned from Brazil, Jacob Hilgeman from Illinois and Oscar Hoffman from Lafayette, where they had been in the interest of the Fort Wayne Electric company.

John Handenschild, boilermaker, sprained his back last evening while engaged in removing some stay bolts from a boiler at the Pittsburg shops. He is likely to be laid up for several days.

John Bean, master mechanic of the Wheeling and Lake Erie, will retire on February 15. He has been connected with the road a number of years. His successor has not yet been named.

J. H. Beitzell, J. Lahmeyer, O. W. Lehman, J. Keiser, John Rupp, Charles Rodenbeck, F. J. Ruch, William Hussy, J. Graden and J. Labbe, all employes of the Pittsburg shops, are sick and off duty.

The Adams Express company will spend a large sum in the effort to discover the person who shipped a corpse from Baltimore to Sioux City, marked "books." The body was apparently that of a murdered man.

Firemen W. L. Craybill and H. C. Snusser have resigned their positions on the Nickel Plate and will return to Cleveland, from whence they came less than a year ago. They have secured employment on the Mahoning road.

Eugene McCann, the expert who examines car and locomotive axles for the Wabash company, before they are accepted from the forge, has gone to Detroit to examine a number of axles. He will probably be up there three or four days.

Conductor I. P. Kickley, of the Pittsburg, whose illness with gall stones was mentioned in these columns yesterday, was resting easier this morning and it is now believed the turning point has been safely passed and that he will soon be well.

F. E. Stone, for some time employed as brakeman on the Nickel Plate, will return to his trade, that of machinist, and with that object in view, he retired from the Nickel Plate yesterday. It is understood that Mr. Stone will go to work in the Pittsburg shops Monday.

Manager J. J. Woods was called to Chicago last evening on business connected with the recent big deal in arc lamps made by the Fort Wayne Electric company. The windy city, always in search of the best of everything, has placed an order for a number of Mr. Woods' newly improved lamps.

Machinists F. A. Watts and Frank Miller, of the Wabash, who had been engaged in special work at Peru, returned home last evening and this morning resumed their places in the shops. Machinist George Lloyd and Boilermaker Rist, who had been at Delray upon a similar mission, also returned home last evening and are at their places in the shop today.

The Louisville Evening Post of yesterday says: "There was a rumor current this afternoon that the general offices of the Louisville and Nashville Railway company will be removed from this city at an early date to St. Louis. It was also stated that the shops of the company, except those necessary for local purposes, will be removed to Nashville. May 1 is the date fixed for removal of the offices. The shops could not be moved so quickly. At the offices of the company a reporter could not get either a denial or confirmation, the officials positively refusing to discuss the matter."

A meeting of the Hope hospital committee was held this afternoon.

Dyspepsia—bane of human existence. Burdock Blood Bitters cures it promptly, permanently. Regulates and tones the stomach.

Is it a burn? Use Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. A cut? Use Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. At your druggists.

Coughs and colds, down to the very borderland of consumption, yield to the soothing, healing influences of Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup.

Only one remedy in the world that will at once stop itchiness of the skin in any part of the body; Doan's Ointment. At any drug store, 50 cents.

HELPED CAPTURE TWO TOWNS

A LETTER FROM ANOTHER AMERICAN SOLDIER.

He Tells of the Battles at Cabuao and San Tomas—It is Not Lonely There.

Frank J. Votrie, an employe in the lamp and metre department of the Fort Wayne Electric company, is in receipt of the following letter from his brother, Albert Votrie, a sergeant in company K, Thirty-ninth United States volunteers:

"Calamba, P. I., Jan. 3, 1900.—Dear Brother:—Your letter was received on December 28, my birthday, and having left Fort Wayne on November 18, you can easily figure out the time it takes for mail to reach me from the states, but you will never be able to know how we appreciate news from home until you become a soldier doing duty 12,000 miles miles from home. But don't think I am homesick. Oh, no! We have no time for that particular pastime. It is only the soldier in camp that gets occasional spells of melancholy I suffered more from loneliness while in camp at Chickamauga than I expect to during the entire time in the Philippines.

"We landed in Manila on December 9 and were ordered out on the 'firing line' on the day following. We had our first brush with the enemy at Luneta, near Taloma church, on December 14. On the evening of the 17th we were ordered to move nine miles to the right, which took us to the banks of the Pasig river, covering the extreme right wing of General Lawton's division and guarding the main entrance to the city of Manila. This is the position our regiment held during the engagement in which General Lawton was killed. We occupied this position until the afternoon of December 28, when we were relieved by the boys of the Forty-fifth. That evening we got orders to 'pull up stakes' and proceed to the banks of the Pasig river, where we boarded boats and steamed up the river thirty-five miles to Calamba. Here we rested the remainder of the year 1899.

"At 3 o'clock on New Year's day we received orders to take ten companies or our regiment (my company included) and a few pieces of artillery and take the two towns of Cabuao and San Tomas. Three of our companies landed in Cabuao right under the prows of our little gunboat which was lying in the Laguna. The natives were completely surprised, but made it very warm for us for about an hour, and the song of the Mauser was anything but sweet. The gunboat in the little lake did some awful work and the artillery work was dreadful. To tell the truth, however, I did not fear the work as much as I used to fear the guard officer at Chickamauga when he approached me at night and questioned me regarding my general orders. Talk about camp life, this beats it. We have no dress parades except for the benefit of the n[illegible]s, and they don't have us line [illegible] for inspection two or three times each day. All they ask of us is to trust in God keep our powder dry and take good aim. You have no idea how cool and courageous these volunteers are and the yell they send up during a wild charge would make a Comanche Indian turn green with envy.

"Well, after we got through with Cabuao, we were ordered to take the fortified town of San Tomas (six miles from Cabuao) and we reached there in the afternoon of January 1, after having set fire to Cabuao. You ought to have heard those Yankees yell, "Remember Lawton." We whipped the Filipinos after they had made an hour's stubborn resistance, and then we had a breathing spell to figure up the day's casualties, which reached something like this: Insurgents' loss—Killed, 114; wounded, 48; captured, 94; besides we captured ammunition, guns and bolos. We lost one man fatally wounded and twelve slightly wounded.

"We are at present quartered in the Church of St. John the Baptist, but the saint himself is not much in evidence just now. I don't know how long we will be here. Our regiment has a reputation for fighting now and I presume they will keep us at it. I have now heard the song of the Mauser twice and my old-time luck is still with me. I am well and reasonably happy. I am ever your brother, Albert B. Votrie.

AL. ALTER WILL BE MANAGER

IN CHARGE OF AMUSEMENTS AT ROBISON PARK.

His Selection Will Be Popular With the Public—New Features to Be Added.

Manager A. L. Scott, of the Fort Wayne Traction company, will place the management of the amusement department of Robison park in the hands of Albert C. Alter, the New Aveline house newsdealer, the coming season. Mr. Alter will look after and work up excursions as far as possible, have supervision over the theatrical department, take charge of arrangements for races, ball games and other sports and make himself generally useful to the street car company, as well as to the pleasure-loving public. Last year Mr. Alter had c[illegible] of the races and his administration in that department was most satisfactory and probably led to his selection for the entire management of the amusement department this season. Several new features will be added to the park the coming season and it will doubtless be more popular with the people of this city and the neighboring cities, towns and country than ever before.

CLOUDS $1.00 EACH.

R. G. Thompson, of this city, who is to personally conduct the grand tirty days tour of Old Mexico, says he will pay one dollar for every cloud that is seen during this pilgrimage after reaching Mexico. The Mexican climate at this season of the year is perfect. There is an average temperature of seventy, and every day is warm and cheered by a tropical sun. There are still a few sections unassigned in the elegant new sleeping car "Benmore," and to Fort Wayne people who are suffering from colds and the sudden climatic changes, this tour will be a revelation. It will be strictly limited in membership and in the party will be some of the most prominent business and professional men in the United States. Get ready and make the trip. The date of departure is next Wednesday, February 14th, at 10 a. m. 8-2t

LADIES.

We have on hand a choice line of goods for skirts that we will sell and make at reduced prices for 30 days. G. Schmidt, Merchant Tailor, 57 E. Berry St. 27-tf

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GOOD NATURED BABIES ARE THOSE RAISED ON GAIL BORDEN

EAGLE BRAND CONDENSED MILK

SEND FOR "BABIES" A BOOK FOR MOTHERS. Borden's Condensed Milk Co., N. Y.

OLD AGE PENSIONS.

The popular demand for state pensions for the aged and deserving poor is based upon other grounds as reasonable and sound as the argument against the injustice of the poorhouse and its callous stigma of pauperism. The demand asks for justice, as a substitute for charity, at the hands of a ruling capitalistic class. It is claimed that wages, even at trades union rates, are regulated more by the struggle for existence among competing workers than by any standard of fairness in the measurement of labor's share in the joint production of wealth. This contention is sustained in its force by the known enormous wealth of the English capitalist class on the one hand and on the other by the attested fact that one out of every four or five workers in England at the age of sixty-five has nothing to look to in his helpless years but the poorhouse or outdoor relief. Statistics confirm the truth of this contention.

Taking land, capital and superintendence as the three capitalistic agencies for exploiting the energies of labor in the creation of wealth, their share of the annual aggregate value of this production is computed at two-thirds of the whole; leaving one-third as the portion awarded in wages to the entire laboring class. Making every allowance for probable inaccuracy of estimate and calculation in this general statement, there can be no denial of an equivalent contention which leads to the same conclusion, namely, that there is no country in the world in which the two extremes of wealth and poverty are more objective in their existence than England. This, then, is another ground upon which the advocate of state pensions for aged workers rest their case.—Michael Davitt in the Forum.

CHURCH EXTENSION IN CUBA.

Responses to the appeal for funds to build an Episcopal church in Havana have been immediate and liberal. The sum of $50,000 was asked for, and already it is announced that little doubt is felt that the church can be started at an early date. The purpose is to put it up in the most prominent location that can be purchased, and so equip it as to make it at once a dominating religious force in the whole island.—Philadelphia Press.

Don't fail to pay your natural and artificial gas bills Tomorrow.

Patterson's spring top coats are now ready for your inspection.

Try The Sentinel Want Columns.

Globe

Will Open a New Store.

Special Announcement

Owing to the Fact that Other Clothing Firms in Fort Wayne are Going Out of Business

We concluded a good opening offers itself for a first-class Clothing establishment in this city, our landlord having agreed to make extensive improvements in our present rooms so as to make it the finest Clothing Parlors in Northern Indiana.

We have consented to reopen up on the constant persuasions of a great number of our former patrons, who so often acknowledged their appreciation of our courteous and fair treatment. We will reopen our business on a principle of new life, and from our costly experience and present advantageous facilities we assure the good people of Fort Wayne and vicinity that, notwithstanding our former fair and courteous treatment, our future business will be conducted on a principle of much improvement in every detail, as our finely equipped parlor will enable us to handle the best stock of medium and high-grade Wearing Apparel for Men, Boys and Children in Fort Wayne. To start our new business with almost an entire new stock we will continue our

HALF PRICE SALE OF AN ARTICLE IN ..... OUR STORE.

Sale to close latter part of this month, when remodeling of our building will begin.

A. K. Hurst & Co.

1860=The New York Store=1900

MUSLIN UNDERWEAR SALE.

ARE YOU A CRITIC?

We want you to look over our muslin underwear. We think it is faultless. If you are not a judge, this is a safe store to buy at. If you appreciate excellence of material and workmanship, artistic styles ane dainty trimmings, you'll find them here.

Our underwear is made by careful people in clean, sanitary factories, and owing to the advance in materials, such values as we offer now, cannot be duplicated.

SALE OPENS MONDAY, FEB. 12th.

NIGHT GOWNS.

The latest fancies, liberal in size, well-made, daintily trimmed with lace and embroidery.

Special gowns of good muslin, square and high neck, with yoke of tucks and embroidery insertion, 50c each

Empire gowns, with square and V shaped neck, trimmed with Torchon lace, 69c each.

Muslin gowns with square and round yokes, trimmed with embroidery, edging, tucks and insertion, 75c each.

Empire, and Josephine styles, handsomely trimmed with lace and embroidery, 89c each.

Fine muslin and cambric gowns, all styles, trimmed with tucks, lace and embroidery, $1.00 each.

Attractive styles and great values in gowns from $1.25 to $5.00 each.

SKIRTS.

Long and short skirts in great variety, all full widths, special styles, with full flounces, hemstitched, lace and embroidery trimmed--unusual for the price $1.00 each.

Fine muslin skirts, tucked flounce, embroidery, insertion, at $1.25 each.

Muslin and cambric skirts, with wide lawn flounces, tucked and embroidery trimmed at $1.50 each.

Special values in skirts at $1.25, 2.00, 2.25, 2.75 and up to 6.75 each.

CORSET COVERS.

Dainty creations of cambric, lace and embroidery, made right and priced right. We start them at 25c and up to $3.00, with many prices between.

Muslin corset covers, square and V neck, embroidery trimmed, 25c each.

A beautiful line of corset covers, lace and embroidery trimmed, 50c each.

Fine cambric corset covers in the new loose front styles, 75c and $1.00 each.

DRAWERS.

Fine muslin and cambric drawers in the newest styles, made and trimmed in the best possible manner.

Good muslin drawers with wide umbrella ruffles, embroidery trimmed, 50c each.

u ine cambric drawers, mbrel la style, handsomely trimmed with embroidery, 75c each.

Better styles at $1.00, 1.25, 1.50, 1.75 and up.

CHEMISE.===*Not a garment but what is the best to be had for the price. The best material, trimmed with exquisite taste and judgement. We price them at from 50c to $3.00 each.*

RURODE DRY GOODS CO.

Good Teeth

are necessary to the enjoyment of good health. There is little need of having decayed teeth if you use a good dentifrice.

DR. BROOKS'

TOOTH POWDER

is an article of our own manufacture. It is made of the finest materials; is wholesome, cleansing and pleasant. It hardens the gums and destroys the germs that cause the teeth to decay.

Put up in

25 CENT BOTTLES.

Ranke & Nussbaum,

Pharmacists, 88 Calhoun St.

Mrs. J. C. Diltz, of Augusta, Ky., who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. F. L. Smock, has returned home, accompanied by her nephew, Master Howard Lightfoot.

New Establishment in Ft. Wayne.

The Philadelphia Tailoring Co. has opened up a place of business in the city and will be ready to do your cleaning and pressing satisfactorily and promptly.

Suit cleaned and pressed, 50c.

Pants pressed, 15c.

Suits made to order a specialty.

Goods called for and delivered.

Come and give us a trial. Home Phone 764 Main.

PHILADELPHIA TAILORING CO.,

253 South Calhoun Street.

Repairing neatly done.

HOMES IN GOOD LOCATION FOR MERCHANTS AND RAILROAD MEN.

I have a number of lots in Ewing Group addition and will sell them on reasonable terms; houses built on partial payment plan.

LOUIS F. CURDES,

Rooms 3 and 4 Pixley-Long Block.

The Saturday club will meet tomorrow afternoon with Mrs. Olan Guildlin, of West Berry street.

MONEY TO LOAN

On Real Estate or Personal Security. C. F. Pfeiffer, Rooms 6-7 Bass Block. 2-tf

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SPECIAL PRICES FOR HOUSEHOLD GOODS.

During the Enamel Ware sale you might also examine the following articles. The present prices are bound to advance shortly:

Best quality hand-made tin and copper Wash Boilers, 85c, 95c, $2.15 and $2.25 each.

American Clothes Wringers, $1.65 and $1.75 each.

Best quality Potts' Sad Irons, 95c set.

Good quality Gas Mantles, 10c.

Nickle plated copper Tea Kettles, $1.00 and $1.15.

Nickle plated copper Tea and Coffee Pots, 40c, 50c, $1.00 and $1.25 each.

Bread Boxes, 40c, 50c and 60c each.

Best quality Gas Tapers, 3c box.

WHITE FRUIT HOUSE.

EYE-OPENERS FOR MONEY-SAVERS AT THE GREATEST.

Pure Apple Jelly, home-made, 6c lb

Gold Dust Washing Powder, 4-lb package, 15c.

Soapine and Pearline, 2 pkgs., 5c.

Corn Starch, 1-lb pkgs., 4c.

Electric Luster Starch, 1-lb pkg., 7c.

Merry War Lye, 4c can.

German Bird Seed, 1-lb pkgs., 4c.

THE GREATEST GROCERY.

TRYING TO FIGURE IT OUT.

London, Feb. 9.—The dispatch from Koedoesberg drift does not say whether General Babington finally joined General MacDonald, but the word "combined" seems to indicate that he did so.

St. Paul's Walther league is arranging for a musical entertainment to be given on the evening of February 23.

The Evening Sentinel.

FRIDAY, FEB. 9, 1900.

OUR TELEPHONES.

Business Office..... 173
Editorial Rooms..... 650

THE WEATHER.

Chicago, Feb. 9.—Forecast for Indiana: Fair tonight; Saturday increasing cloudiness and warmer west portion; variable winds.

LOCAL NEWS.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Roberts, of Walton avenue—a daughter.

The Lakeside Social club will elect officers tonight at the regular meeting, to be held in Dittoe's hall.

A new lodge of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows will probably be instituted at Dunfee within a short time.

Public memorial services will be held this evening by Sion S. Bass post, G. A. R., in tribute to the memory of General Lawton.

"The British-Boer War in South Africa and Christian Civilization," will be discussed by Rev. J. S. Ainslie Sunday evening at Plymouth church as a prelude to the sermon.

F. J. Noll, of Indianapolis, is in the city and is a guest at the New Aveline. Mr. Noll was formerly a resident of Fort Wayne, but is now a waist manufacturer at the capital city.

Rev. H. H. Smith, who is to become pastor of Heidelberg Reformed church, will be ordained to the ministry February 22, a special meeting of the St. Joseph classis being held in this city for that purpose. Rev. Smith has just completed his collegiate education, and this will be his first pastorate as an ordained minister.

TOMATOES, PIE PLANT, RADISHES, ONIONS, LETTUCE AND CELERY FOR SATURDAY MORNING.

Ripe Florida Tomatoes, 10c lb.
Fresh Pie Plant, 7c bunch.
Radishes and Onions, 2½c bunch.
Fine Michigan Lettuce, 15c lb.
California Celery, 8c stock.
Cape Cod Cranberries, 7c qut.
On account of the cold weather Strawberries will not arrive from Florida tomorrow morning.

WHITE FRUIT HOUSE.

See the new neckwear at Patterson's.

FLOUR, POTATOES, MEATS, BUTTER AND EGGS.

Best Michigan Flour, $3.30 bbl.
All Best City Flour, $3.50 bbl.
Nice Large Potatoes, 50c bushel.
Large Denver Onions, 15c peck.
Best Sugar Cured Hams, 12c lb.
Picnic Hams and Shoulders, 8c lb.
Fine Sugar Cured Bacon, 10c lb.
Fresh Country Eggs, 15c doz.
Best Roll Butter, 20c lb.
Good Louisiana Cracked Rice, 3c lb.

WHITE FRUIT HOUSE.

Albert Schoch, of this city, has made application for enlistment in the navy.

EGGS, OYSTERS, FISH AND POULTRY AT THE GREATEST.

Fresh Country Eggs down to 15c doz.
Extra Select Oysters, 25c can.
Extra Stewing Oysters, 20c can.
Extra Stewing Oysters, 30c quart.
Large Family Mackerel, 10c each.
Smoked White Fish, 10c lb.
Smoked Halibut Chunks, 15c lb.
Large Smoked Bloaters, 3c each.
Absolutely Boneless Cod Fish, 12c lb.
Frozen Pickerel and Dressed Herring, Fat Young Turkeys, Chickens and Ducks, live and dressed.

THE GREATEST GROCERY.

Frank Saylor and Anna Shannon were married by 'Squire France in his office last evening. The couple live in the country.

THE NEW KEYSTONE.

GROCERY, MEAT MARKET AND BAKERY.

New Hickory Nuts, 5c qt.
New Navy Beans, 5c qt.
Fancy Naval Oranges, large, 30c doz.
California Dried Peaches, fancy, 10c lb.
California Prunes, 6, 8, 9 and 15c lb.
California Apricots, 15c lb.
Country Dried Aples, 8c lb.
Honey Drip Syrup, 30c gal.
Fresh Country Eggs, 15c doz.
Creamery Butter, 20c lb.
Best Butterine, 18c lb.
Dressed Chickens.
Dressed Turkeys.
Remember, we give Uncle Sam Stamps, at

THE NEW KEYSTONE.

238 and 240 Calhoun St.

The Boston Store.

Special Bargains!

New styles in Tapestry Curtains, at $1.85, worth $2.25.
New styles in Tapestry at $2.50, worth $3.00.
SPECIAL LOW PRICES ON ALL LACE CURTAINS.
A line of Children's Hose at 10 cts., worth 12½ cts.
A line of Children's Hose at 15 cts., worth 20 cts.
SPECIAL BARGAINS IN LADIES' AND GENTS' UNDERWEAR.
SPECIAL BARGAINS IN BLACK AND COLORED DRESS GOODS.
NEW STYLES IN PERCALES AT 8, 10 AND 12½ CTS.
A lot of Bed Spreads at 80 cts., worth $1.00.
A lot of light colored Print at 3 cts for tomorrow.
1,000 yds. of dark colored Prints at 4 cts. tomorrow.
Best Apron Gingham at 5 cts.

Do your trading at the Boston Store tomorrow, as we have many great bargains to offer.

WM. HAHN & CO.,

THE BOSTON STORE.

Wireless telegraphy is to be employed at once on the Dover-Calais and the Folkstone-Boulogne boats from a central station at Dover, where a pole will be erected. The masts of the boat will suffice for the other end of the circuit. The system will then be extended probably to the Dover-Ostend boats, too.

COMMENCING TOMORROW MORNING—5TH SEMI-ANNUAL SALE OF GRANITE ENAMEL WARE.

A mammoth purchase of two car loads from manufacturers' sale, ordered by Lalance & Grosjean, of New York.

The assortment consists of all the necessary articles in blue and white, agate, pearl agate and Peerless Enamel Ware, bought at one-half the usual prices.

Number 8 and 9 Tea Kettles, 39c.
Number 3 and 5 Tea Kettles, 23c and 30c.
1, 2, 3 and 4 quart Coffee and Tea Pots, 12c to 35c.
Preserving Kettles, 12c up to 27c.
Extra Large Kettles, 50c, 70c and 85c.
Wash Basins, 9c, 12c, 18c, up to 30c.
Large Basting Spoons, 7c.
4 and 6 quart Covered Pails, 15c and 23c.
Cups, Dippers and Ladles, 4c, 6c, 8c and 10c.
Seamless Water Pails, 25c and 38c.
Rice Boilers, 27c, 33c and 37c.
Large Chamber Pails, 45c.
Berlin Kettles and Sauce Pans, 15c up to 75c.
Large Cuspidors, 20c.
Large size Bed Pans, a household necessity; the factory wholesale price is $1.75, our special price only $1.00.
Large size Soup or Vegetable Boilers, 75c.
Coffee Boilers, 25c, 35c, up to 70c.
Dish Pans, 23c, 27c, 33c, 40c and 50c.
Meat Dishes, 12c, 17c, 25c and 35c.
Vegetable Dishes, 25c and 30c.
Large Cullenders, 20c and 25c.
Muffin and Cake Pans, 15c and 20c.
Large Oblong and Bread Pans, 30c and 45c.
Also numerous other articles.
Notwithstanding the large increase in cost of material, these prices average as low as ever.

WHITE FRUIT HOUSE.

MEAT DOWN

HERMAN STRODEL, 92 WEST JEFFERSON STREET.

Beef Steak, 10c.
Beef Roast, 9c.
Pork Chops, 8c.
Pork Roast, 8c.
Spare Ribs, 7c.
Neck Bone, 3c lb.
Leaf Lard, 7c.
Goods delivered to all parts of the city.
'Phone 945 Main.

Try The Sentinel Want Columns.

ATTRACTIVE

REMNANT BARGAINS.

OUR ANNUAL REMNANT SALE

THE CENTER OF TRADE

JUST NOW.

Crowds of ladies constantly attend our Silk and Dress Goods Counters.

Extraordinary low prices on short lengths of linings, linens, sheetings, laces, ribbons, trimmings, embroideries and white goods.

Calico remnants 3c a yd.
Muslin remnants, 3c and 4c a yd.
Toweling remnants, 3c a yd.
Cotton flannel, 3c a yd.
Red table Damask, 19c a yd.
Carpet remnants.
Curtain remnants.
Nearly half prices.

500 umbrellas sold at 75c each; worth $1.50.

Great display new wash silks; 100 pieces of strictly handsome styles.

Tomorrow we offer wonderful bargains in remaining stock of winter jackets, at $5, $6 and $8.

Choice of entire stock.

Ladies' new tailor-made suits, applique jacket and skirt, in black; only, at $7.50, worth $12.50.

THE FRANK DRY GOODS CO.

SATURDAY SALE.

Boiling Meat, 4c lb.
Beef Roast, 7c lb.
Tip Top Peas, 8c can, or 7 cans for 50c.
Sugar Corn, 7c can, or 8 cans for 50c.
Cranberries, 4c qt, or 3 qts for 10c.
Fresh Country Eggs, 14c doz.
Fresh Butter Crackers, 5c lb.

THE RICH GROCERY AND MEAT MARKET,

254 and 256 Calhoun Street.

EGGS 14C. DOZ.

FOR TOMORROW.

Fancy Cauliflower, 12 to 15c head.
Fancy Head Lettuce, 12c lb.
California Celery, 8c stalk.
Extra Fancy Cabbage, 3c lb.
Bermuda Onions, new.
Fox's Ginger Snaps, 6c lb.
Rolled Oats, 2c lb.
Chickens, dressed, 10c lb.
Turkeys, dressed, 12c lb.

Our Fresh Meats can't be beat in the city. Give us a trial order.

H. F. HILGEMAN & SON,

121 and 123 W. Jefferson St.

Both phones 85.

WANTED.

Boy at Kell & Kell, 116 Calhoun street.

We Are Making A Big Deep Cut

On everything in our store. Our inventory is completed and we find a number of goods that must be moved regardless of price. Lots of odds and ends going at cost and below. We don't do this kind of business very often, but when we do, it means something. Here are samples of our prices:

DINNER PAILS, with pie trays, coffee flask and cup, 20 cts each.

Extra heavy tin TEA KETTLES, with 16 oz. copper bottom, your choice of size, 8 or 9, 25 cts.

FLANISHED TEA and COFFEE POTS, with heavy copper bottom, only 20 cts each.

These goods are as showy as nickeled ware. If you saw these goods you would not think it possible that they could be sold for this money in gross lots. But here they are, at the prices stated while they last.

Johnson, the Oil King, 20 Baker St., is the lucky man and gets the $50 Stewart Steel Range.

Seavey's

UP-TO-DATE HARDWARE STORE,

19 and 21 W. Main Street.

Home and Bell 'Phone 149.